

## Willow Class Summer Term – Google Classroom

Work on the Classroom is for the first half of the Summer Term and assignments will be set from 20.4.20

### FAQ and Information for children.

**I haven't logged on to Google Classroom yet. Can I still do so?**

YES – there is no time limit. Find the e-mail from the office (this was the one with the Spring report attached) This e-mail has all the login information you need and a link to advice on getting started. There is also an advice sheet on the Willow Class Webpage.

**How will I know what to do and how often will work be set?**

For some subjects (such as English and Science) you will find an overview of tasks up until half term. **At the start of each week**, the next task will be 'assigned' to you. There may also be additional resources with it. You can do the tasks earlier if you wish. Subjects such as ART may just have an overview so you can do these in whatever order you like.

**Where will I find resources to help me?**

For spelling, there will be a term's overview of words and each week you will receive an assignment with activities linked to this – e.g. word searches, handwriting etc.

**Who will be able to see the work I submit?**

You can submit assignments just to me and I can respond to you privately. If you want to share your work with everyone, you can 'stream' it as well. There are some great pieces of work on the stream already.

**Do I still do My Maths?**

Yes, keep up with **maths by doing the lesson first and then a homework task**. If you are really stuck on a particular area, e-mail me at Google Classroom and I can attach some other activities or video links to help you.

**Where do I find music resources? I'd really like to keep up with my instrument lessons.**

You can log into **YUMU** – quite a few people have already notched up quite a few hours here. Work through the assignments or the packages. If you would like more on a particular theme/instrument, e-mail me and I will see what I can find and set it as an assignment.

**I have done a lot of work on my own from other websites I have found. Is this ok? Can I share it?**

Absolutely, you can share work and website ideas by streaming them on Google Classroom. We'd love to see them.

## **Google Classroom Information for parents.**

We have set up Google Classroom to support you and your child working at home. This is commonly used at high school but is new to us!

This is essentially a forum for children to use in order to get resources, ask questions about their work and submit assignments online.

The classroom is limited to the children within the class and any streamed comments are only seen by them. Children can also direct message teachers with questions or to submit work.

**An overview of the work will also be on the website – however there are no additional resources to support this here.**

Parents can request to become a guardian if they wish but we are asking that **comments are only left by the children to keep this a site for them.** Parents can e-mail teachers with questions using the class e-mail. [willow@morley.norfolk.sch.uk](mailto:willow@morley.norfolk.sch.uk)

### **FAQ**

#### **Can children be totally independent with work on this site?**

For a lot of the work yes, but they will need support with some of the tasks – especially some of the science tasks where they may need adult supervision. Some tasks will be games or activities which will work best with other family members.

#### **What about children with SEND?**

Ideas for supporting children with SEND are on the overview of tasks but once they are logged into Google Classroom, appropriate material can be assigned to them personally to best fit with their learning needs.

#### **I have subscribed to other home-learning sites, can I continue working with these?**

Absolutely, if your child is engaged with other learning tasks please continue. They can send these directly to their teacher or stream them to share with others on Google Classroom.