



Thorpedene Primary School

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Remote Learning Information

Dear Parents and Carers,

From the Spring term we will be introducing our new Remote Learning Platform – Microsoft Teams.

This will be in place if for any reason we, as a school, have to provide remote education.

Microsoft Teams provides a wealth of opportunities to develop our home (remote) learning and provides further interaction and communication with yourselves and your children.

We will be providing daily English and Maths lessons, along with additional subjects for your children to access in the event of remote learning being needed due to isolation.

To access this home learning resource, you have several options:

- You can access MS Teams using an internet browser via the following link

<https://teams.microsoft.com/>

For the most convenient & accessible solution we recommend downloading the app.

- If you have an Android or IOS smartphone/tablet, download the free app to your device from the relevant app store – just search for Microsoft Teams.
- On a PC or Mac you can download the desktop app from the following URL <https://www.microsoft.com/en-gb/microsoft-365/microsoft-teams/download-app>

After installing/opening the software you will need to enter an e-mail and password and these will be sent home with your child or posted to you this week.

When you log in will be able to see your child's class 'Team. Here you will see a channel entitled 'General' and other channels will display the weekly date for the learning.

If you have any questions or queries regarding installing or accessing Microsoft Teams, please contact children@thorpedene.southend.sch.uk and we will endeavour to help.

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