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Dear Families, whose children are learning from home

As of Tuesday 12th January, we are excited to be launching our virtual timetable, this will be accessible via a 'Teams' invite. Teams is a Microsoft application which allows school staff to safely and securely stream live to you at home.

The virtual timetable will be shared on the school website, under the Home Learning > Virtual Timetable heading. Here we will be adding information about how to use Teams, what sessions will be being streamed throughout the day and information about resources you may need to join in with the session.

The virtual timetable will be available between 9-3, Monday to Friday, across the week we hope to deliver a range of activities and we hope that you will be able to join and support your child in some of these. Not all activities will be appropriate to your child and as we establish the timetable, we hope to be able to signpost families to the most appropriate sessions for your child.

There will be routine sessions, story time, dance activities as well as creative fun too so we hope that there will be many activities to support each child in their home learning. Please do bear with us as we set this up and feedback to your child's class team during the weekly phone calls regarding any feedback – positive or negative.

We aim to deliver home learning packs to every child that is not in school on a 2-weekly basis, these will be delivered by Louisa Stevens (Parent Liaison Officer) and initially Rachel Boon (LSP). These may be activities to complete with your child, activities to link with the live sessions or sometimes, individual resources from your child's class team.

The attached letter, explains the protocol around the virtual timetable.

Yours sincerely,

Laura Valentine

Head of Lower School & Home Learning lead

