



Willow Brook News

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Home-school communication and live meetings

We have now set up the calendar for the week ahead and hope to start a regular cycle of live sessions where the aim is to keep communication open and families engaged whilst you learn at home.

Teaching will continue to be delivered through a range of pre-recorded videos and online learning. Having spoken to all of you during the week, we know that you have got into a routine of working on Teams or by collecting learning booklets from school.

We have enjoyed the children's company in our live assemblies this week and we will continue to include and invite the whole community every week. We hope that you will all feel very welcome.

To add to our learning provision, teachers in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 will invite pupils learning at home to weekly half-hour sessions where staff will be available to answer questions about the week's work and offer any further guidance and support. Whilst these may be short, we hope they will be purposeful.

For our younger children, we offer a weekly catch up for families to seek guidance or ask questions that might help you to make the most of our online resources. You may not need this every week, but the opportunity will be there.

Our staff continue to welcome you emails and calls during the working day.

All meetings will take place on Teams and invites will appear in your child's channel. Please get in touch if you have not received notification an hour before the meeting – we can email you a link.

Monday	9.30am – Year 3 and 4 Bench of Glory	1.30pm – EYFS Bench of Glory
Tuesday	9.30 – 10am – Year 6 opportunity to meet with Mr Jones for any work related questions	1.15 – 1.45pm EYFS staff available via Teams for any help required to access work
Wednesday	9.30 – 10am – Year 4 opportunity to meet with Mrs Best for any work related questions	1.15 – 1.45pm Year 1 staff available via Teams for any help required to access work
Thursday	9.30 – 10am – Year 5 opportunity to meet with Mrs Smith for any work related questions 9.30 – 10am - Year 3 opportunity to meet with Miss Brearey for any work related questions	1.15 – 1.45pm Year 2 staff available via Teams for any help required to access work
Friday	9.30am – Year 5 and 6 Bench of Glory	1.30am – Year 1 and 2 Bench of Glory

With kind regards, Louise Ballard