



Dear Parents/Carers

Ettington Church of England
Primary School

I hope that you and your family have had a happy and safe Summer. It has been wonderful to welcome the children back into school this week.

You will have been sent an invitation to '**Meet the Teacher**' on **Tuesday 17th September**. This will be an opportunity to hear about life in the classroom, expectations and home learning requirements. If you have any further questions, please ask your child's class teacher during the **Meet the Teacher** session, which will take place in your child's classroom at 3.30pm and repeated at 4.05pm to allow you to visit more than one classroom. We strongly advise all families be represented at this useful meeting. However, if you are unable to attend, the presentation will be shared on your child's Google Classroom after the meeting.

As in previous years, homework tasks, curriculum information and some teacher to parent communication will be shared using Google Classroom for Year 1 through to Year 6, and Tapestry in Reception.

Each child from Y1 to Y6 will need to log into Google Classroom regularly in order to access the homework tasks set by their class teacher. Instructions, learning intentions, learning resources and worksheets may also all be available to view and download. Wherever possible, we want to restrict the number of sheets that will require printing, but in some cases, this may be unavoidable.

You will be able to find instructions and information on accessing Google Classroom via the school website <https://www.ettingtonprimary.org/>. Under the **Learning** Tab, you can use the drop-down menu to access **Remote Learning** for all instructions.

This week, your child will have been sent an invitation email to join Google Classroom via their Welearn365 account from their class teacher, please open this and follow the instructions provided to set up their new classroom.

Children in Year 1, who will be using Google Classroom for the first time, will find details of their new pupil email and password for Welearn365 in their bag.

If children in Years 2 -6 have forgotten their details over the Summer, they can request a password reset on Monday from their class teacher. Due to Internet Safety Restrictions, teachers cannot reset passwords, so please let us know as soon as possible if you are unable to access Google Classroom from home so we can arrange for new passwords to be issued quickly for you.

Kind regards

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Headteacher.