Please see information below to support your child’s learning during our school closure/child’s absence from school:

**English**

Spelling – Please find complete lists of statutory words online and utilise the website below for national lists.

Before school closure children I have mentioned how children were looking at Harry Potter. Bloomsbury have worked with JK Rowling to produce some fantastic resources and things you can do in your own home. Complete with videos of the cast reading chapters of the book, as well as follow up activities.

https://www.wizardingworld.com/collections/harry-potter-at-home

* Edit and redraft your origin stories
* Complete one of the POBBLE activities.
* Comprehensions and reading regularly to continue above all else.
* We would be doing poetry if we were in school. Can you take some inspiration from nature and create a shape poem. This means a poem written in the shape of the subject it is being written on.

**Science**

* Have you attempted some of the science home activities that have been uploaded to the drive? If so please send us your photos to twitter.
* Use the website <https://scaleofuniverse.com/> to explore and gained some understanding of the biggest and smallest things in our universe.

**Project:**

Children should be doing programming within IT. They can practise these skills using ‘Hour of code’.

Linked to Geography and exploration of the Americas – Children can research different parts of North and South America. Support for this will be provided on Google drive.

* Can children investigate ‘Fair Trade’ by learning about how we get some food items? How does this affect the economy. Children can create a map of farm to shop shelf.
* Research one of the ‘World Wonders’ and produce their findings. This can be in any way they wish. Like drawings; a piece of non-fiction writing or even a travel log.

**Free Online Activities:**

Times table Rockstars – all children have a log in card.

Top Marks Website for all subjects, this provides a wide variety of games and fun activities to support learning.

Twinkl are providing free access and a new parents’ area during this period.

See our school website for topics that would usually be covered at this time of year underneath our curriculum tab.

Joe Wicks – keep fit to Joe Wicks following his videos.

Pobble – online English activities.

My minimaths website

Reading theory Website

The Literacy Shed Website

CLPE – Power of reading see free activities

<https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/239784/English_Appendix_1_-_Spelling.pdf>

School email – stlaurence@knowsley.gov.uk

**Religion –** As religion is taught over a set amount of weeks in keeping with the religious calendar. For the most up to date topics please see Google drive or the school website.

**Maths (Please find support for these and worksheets on Google drive)**

**Fractions**

* Use common factors to simplify fractions
* Compare and order fractions
* Generate and describe linear number sequences
* Add and subtract fractions
* Multiply simple pairs of proper fractions
* Divide proper fractions
* Associate a fraction with division and calculate decimal fraction equivalents
* Recall and use equivalences between simple fractions, decimals and percentages

**Place value**

* Mental calculations
* Identify common factors, common multiples and
* prime numbers.
* Carry out calculations involving the four operations.
* Solve problems involving addition, subtraction,
* multiplication and division.

**Additional activities**

* Work through CGP HW book on paper.
* Practise times tables.
* Work through PAM tests.
* SATS papers