



Prior Weston online learning policy- family version

In this policy the online platforms referred to are for babies to year 3: Class Dojo. For years 4 to 6 Seesaw.

Aims

This policy aims to

- Set out expectations and arrangements for families when using online learning platforms.
- Establish an effective approach to uploading and responding to work between home and school

Guidance for teaching and learning

- Teachers will post a weekly schedule at the beginning of the week by 10:00AM. This will include three maths based activities, three English based activities and three activities that cover other areas of learning.
- 0-3's is a play based stage for children, staff will focus on activities such as; reading stories, attention & listening sessions, singing nursery rhymes when posting suggested ideas.
- For some activities, older children will be able to choose the level of challenge. E.g. mild, spicy or hot

MILD 

SPICY 

HOT 

- Activities will be a balanced mixture of subjects. The online learning experience will not replicate the school day.
- Lessons will capitalise on the home environment. Teachers will aim to reduce screen time and include physical activity as much as possible.
- The suggested amount of time set for activities per day will be EYFS and KS1- 2 hours and for KS2 3 to 4 hours.
- Teachers will indicate a timescale for work to be completed and uploaded but will be mindful of different family limitations.
- Specialist teachers such as Spanish, Music, PE may post on a weekly basis ensuring that this is shared across the subjects. E.g. Spanish on Monday, Music on Tuesday etc.
- Feedback to students will be given by the end of the week on every assignment, even if it is just a thumbs up.
- Work will only be shared to the whole year group/ class via the teacher.
- All comments from children will be approved by the class teacher before being added to the platform.

- Teachers will work within the school hours of 9:00- 3:30. Any contact or responses to or from children or families will only be within these hours.
- If your child's teacher is unable to respond within a reasonable time another member of staff will aim to contact you where possible.
- Any queries can be directed through the school office on 020 7786 4800 or office@priorweston.islington.sch.uk these will then be passed on to the relevant member of staff.