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"Each one of us is unique, each one of us is special, because we are created by God's love."

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Dear Parents,

Parents may be concerned over the coronavirus outbreak and how this might impact your child's learning. In the event of self-isolation or school closure, we are providing resources to continue learning at home should this be necessary.

Additional links are available on the St Anne's school website

<https://www.stannessolihull.co.uk/home-learning/>

Each child will have access to the following:

RE and Catholic Life	1. Prayers to use at home with your child and family at this time http://liturgyoffice.org/News/coronavirus-prayers/ 2. https://sermons4kids.com/ gives weekly Gospel with worksheets, activities and reflections 3. https://cafod.org.uk/Education/Children-s-liturgy this website gives the Sunday gospel and reflections for children 4. https://www.thereligionteacher.com/lent-activities/ online Lent activities 5. https://www.thereligionteacher.com/easter-activities/ online Easter activities
English	1. Recommended to complete one piece per day- printed booklet sent home for all children(10-15 pieces) 2. Studyladder (Pupils have their own passwords) https://www.studyladder.co.uk/ 3. Daily reading of at least 10 minutes 4. Year group book recommendations are on the school website. You will find them by going to the Curriculum and then English. https://www.stannessolihull.co.uk/recommended-reading-lists/ 5. https://www.storylineonline.net/ Stories being read for children online 6. Classroom secrets resources are available on the home school website for all year groups:
Maths	1. Recommended to complete one piece per day- printed booklet sent home for all children (10-15 pieces) 2. Topmarks games to practice fluency https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button 3. Times Tables Rock Stars- Years 1-6 (Pupils have their own passwords) https://www.ttrockstars.com/home 4. Studyladder (Pupils have their own passwords) https://www.studyladder.co.uk/ 5. Classroom secrets resources are available on the home school website for all year groups 6. Timestables activities https://www.stannessolihull.co.uk/timestables-1/ 7. Ways to Help at Home https://www.stannessolihull.co.uk/ways-to-help-at-home-1/

Wider Curriculum	1. Purplemash (Pupils have their own passwords) 2. SCIENCE- Key Stage 1 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z6svr82 3. SCIENCE- Key Stage 2 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z2pfb9q 4. MUSIC- Charanga (Pupils have their own passwords) 5. Independent project linked to local environment 6. Independent project linked to History topic 7. Independent project linked to Geography topic
PE/Being active	1. https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/super movers Resources and videos for active learning 2. YouTube- search for: Kids Yoga, wake up shake up, just dance or kids fitness and simply copy the videos.

Recommended Websites can be found at:	https://www.stannessolihull.co.uk/home-learning/
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Children may be feeling anxious about this developing situation and it is difficult to know where to start with approaching this with children. Tips for parents to begin talking to children about Coronavirus can be found by following this link: https://parentinfo.org/article/three-tips-for-starting-a-difficult-conversation-with-your-child?utm_source=Parent+Zone+Newsletter&utm_campaign=d7c5afa46e-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2020_03_13_05_02&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1ee27d9000-d7c5afa46e-179219017

School will strive to keep you up to date via letter, the school website, twitter and our text message service of any developments. Please make sure that if you have had a new phone number recently, you have updated this with the school office.

If your child or any family member living in your household is experiencing any of the following symptoms, please make sure that you follow the self-isolation guidelines for **14** days:

Stay at home if you have coronavirus symptoms

Stay at home for **14** days if you have either:

- a high temperature – you feel hot to touch on your chest or back
- a new, continuous cough – this means you've started coughing repeatedly

Do not go to a GP surgery, pharmacy or hospital.

You do not need to contact 111 to tell them you're staying at home.

Testing for coronavirus is not needed if you're staying at home.

Thank you for your continued support

Mrs Conway

Head Teacher