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COVID-19 School Closure measures

Dear Parents/Guardians,

In light of the Government announcement that schools will close as of **Friday 20th March** due to the coronavirus outbreak, I want to inform you of the measures we have in place as a school to support the education of your child.

Accompanying this letter are the login details you will need in order to access our online learning platforms 'Show My Homework' and 'Kerboodle'. As a school we want to ensure that our students and their families are supported throughout this period of closure and that learning can continue for all.

For the full duration of the closure, staff will be uploading work and lessons regularly to Show my Homework which students can work through at their own pace. All resources will be accessible and there is also a facility where students can ask staff for help if needed. All that students need to do is login to their account following the instructions provided and the work uploaded by their teacher's will be there for them to access. Kerboodle is a vast online resource for Science which we also provide for our students. Access to this is needed in order for students to complete their Science work.

I have also provided parental access for these platforms so that you can monitor the work being set and completed by your child. There is a free, downloadable app for Show my Homework which might make things more convenient. We appreciate that not all students may have access to these platforms and for those who have told us that they do not have online access at home we will provide a variety of paper based tasks with resources to bring home. These are difficult and unprecedented times but be assured that all of us at CCA are doing and will continue to do all that we can to support you and your child.

We appreciate your support throughout this time and if you have any further questions or queries regarding access to the online platforms or the work being set please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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Guidance for accessing online platforms

Show My Homework:

- www.satchelone.com - login - select 'student' - search for the school name
- We have set up each a student with a school email address to use for logging in - it is set out as follows; first initial, surname@coalclough.org e.g (jsmith@coalclough.org)
- Enter the pin number provided and then create a password
- Sign in to access the work. If they are unsure about how to use the site there are help guides and support available through the dashboard menu.

Kerboodle:

- www.kerboodle.com - username is set up as follows; first initial/surname
- Password is the same as the username
- Institution code is **eum3**
- Follow the instructions provided on Show my Homework to access the relevant materials needed for that lesson on Kerboodle.

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