

# Highlees News



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Dear Parents

I hope you are all safe and well. I wanted to start by thanking you all for your support and patience. The staff at Highlees have been working hard to ensure that the google classroom and in school provision is set up ready for the children. Over the next couple of weeks we will be ensuring that all of our children have work that they can access.

If anyone in your family becomes poorly with Covid 19 could you let the school know.

For Critical Workers, please ensure your children only attend school when you are working.

We miss you all and hope to see you soon. Please follow the National Lockdown advice and stay at home.

Mrs Stroud and the Highlees team



## Google Classroom Expectations

Years 1 - 6 are now being taught through the google classroom.

Each day, your child needs to log onto the google classroom where they will find the work that their teacher has set.

Your child needs to complete the work for that day and send it back to their teacher.

The teacher will give feedback, if appropriate

The expectation is that children complete this work every day.

Teachers will contact children who are not engaging with the google classroom to offer help and support

If you need any help with getting onto the google classroom please email

[homelearning@hefed.org](mailto:homelearning@hefed.org)



Google Classroom

— you are —  
**BRAVER**  
than you believe  
**STRONGER**  
than you seem  
**SMARTER**  
than you think  
**AND LOVED**  
more than you know

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## EYFS Tapestry

The children in EYFS are set home learning activities through Tapestry.

You will need to log on every day to see what activities have been set.

You then need to upload photos of your children doing the activities or of their work.

The teachers can't wait to see the wonderful things you are doing at home.



## Food Bank

We know that this is a challenging time for lots of families. If you need any support with food then please contact school.

Our next food bank in on  
**TUESDAY 19th JANUARY.**

## Communication with School

There are several ways to contact school for support

Email or telephone the school office  
[highleesoffice@hefed.org](mailto:highleesoffice@hefed.org)  
01733 264294

Email the home learning for any computer problems

[homelearning@hefed.org](mailto:homelearning@hefed.org)

Complete the weekly wellbeing form for any home concerns and a Learning Mentor will call you back

**Please also share any positive feedback with us - it is always lovely to hear.**



## Safeguarding Calls

It is our statutory duty to ensure that all children are safe and well.

Staff will be calling at least every fortnight to talk to your child. This is to say hello and check they are doing okay and managing their work.

We will also be checking children are engaging in the google classroom / Tapestry.

**If we are unable to get hold of you and your child has not completed any work we may need to do a safe and wellbeing home visit to check that everything is ok and well.**