



St John's

School Billericay

Online learning guidance for parents

During any period of school site closure, staff at St John's are keen to ensure that the pupils can continue to learn as productively as possible. This includes the use of technology including:

- Work set through the school email system
- Use of interactive learning resources (Teams and Zoom)

In order for your son/daughter to access Teams and Zoom for online learning, please ensure that you have signed and returned the consent form. All pupils must follow the online home learning acceptable use policy. It is very important that they do not turn on their cameras unless they are asked to do so by their teacher. They should not be using Zoom or Teams for private pupil to pupil discussion.

Online lessons will only be scheduled according to their regular timetable and never outside of school hours.

Any parent to teacher communication should be carried through the school email system in the usual way. Parents cannot record, share or comment on public forums about individual teachers.

What can parents do to help?

- Provide a quiet, appropriate space for them to work in
- Make sure they are dressed appropriately
- Ensure that they understand the acceptable use policy
- Encourage them to stick to a routine