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Dear Parent/Carer

7th January 2021

Re: Remote Learning Equipment

Devices:

We have based our provision of ICT equipment on our recent Technology Survey and have been able to offer some devices to families who would otherwise not be able to access our remote learning platform.

However, I am conscious that with some parents working at home and with more than one child needing to access online learning, it is challenging. If you are really struggling for access please contact the school office and we will try to do all we can to support you.

Free Data:

Prior to the Christmas holidays we were given some free data for children in key stage two from Vodaphone. They are planning to repeat this offer in the next few weeks and I will apply for as much free data as I can get for you to use – should you wish to do so. When I know how much free data we are allocated I will write out and ask parents to register with the school office.

Equipment:

With the government announcement of school closures occurring at 8pm on Monday 4th January with immediate effect, many children have left their pencil cases and other equipment in school. If anyone is in need of pencils, pens, rulers, paper or any other equipment please let your child's teacher know and we will make a pack of resources available for collection.

Remote Learning Support:

If you haven't activated your child's Seesaw account by Friday, you may be contacted to check that you have received the invitation email containing the necessary code and to see if we can offer any support in getting your child set up.

Please remember that Mrs Green is available for any technical advice and support regarding the activation of the Seesaw accounts (<u>a.green@stanhopebarrington.org.uk</u>).

Yours sincerely

Mrs D Cross Head Teacher

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