



Remote Learning Arrangements for Pupils with Health Needs

At St Theresa's Catholic Primary School, we are committed to ensuring that all pupils continue to receive a high-quality education, even if they are unable to attend school due to health reasons.

When Might Remote Learning Be Required?

Remote learning may be necessary in circumstances such as:

- The child has a physical or mental health condition that temporarily prevents attendance at school.
- The child has a complex or long-term illness with an unpredictable pattern of absence.
- The child is recovering from surgery or treatment and is unable to attend school for a period.
- The child is immunocompromised or at higher risk from infections, requiring periods of isolation.
- The child is receiving hospital or alternative provision education due to their health needs.
- The family has temporarily relocated nearer to a hospital for treatment, and the child cannot attend their usual school.

What to Expect if Your Child Needs Remote Learning:

1.

Individualised Support:

We work closely with families, healthcare professionals, and the local authority to create a tailored learning plan that meets your child's specific health and educational needs.

2.

Use of Digital Resources:

Where appropriate, your child will have access to digital learning platforms and resources that complement face-to-face teaching. These tools help maintain engagement and support ongoing learning at home.

3.

Regular Reviews:

We regularly review the learning provision with you, your child, and relevant professionals to ensure it remains suitable and effective.

4.

Reintegration Support:

When your child is ready to return to school, we will develop a personalised reintegration plan to support a smooth transition back into the classroom, including any necessary catch-up support.

5.



Communication:

We maintain regular contact through emails, phone calls, and virtual meetings to keep you informed and involved in your child's progress.

Additional Information for Parents and Carers

- If you have concerns about your child's health affecting their education, please contact us promptly to discuss how we can best support your child.
 - The school and local authority will work together with you to ensure your child has access to suitable education that matches their age, ability, and any special educational needs.
 - If a child cannot attend their home school due to health needs, the local authority has a statutory duty to arrange suitable alternative provision.
 - Parents and carers are key partners in planning and reviewing their child's education during periods of absence and reintegration.
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This document reflects statutory guidance on education for children with health needs and demonstrates our commitment to inclusion, personalised learning, and supporting families.

Sources:

- Arranging Education for Children Who Cannot Attend School Because of Health Needs (Statutory Guidance, December 2023)
- Supporting Pupils at School with Medical Conditions (DfE)