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SHARING YOUR LEARNING, AND THINGS TO TRY OVER THE HOLIDAYS

Dear parents and carers

We hope you and your families are safe and well, and finding a “new normal”. Our new home learning website has now had over 18,000 visits! Please do keep looking at www.q1e.co.uk to see what’s new each week. Our hope is that the learning for children is manageable at home (we know you have a lot to deal with), but still engaging and challenging.

Survey

Thank you for the very many responses to our [survey on home learning](#), which are still coming in. We are pleased so many of you are finding the work useful and enjoying the new videos and activities being shared. We are continuing to look at how we improve what we are doing while being aware of the pressures on families at this time.

Sharing your child's work

One action we are taking immediately is to develop a way for you to share your children's work with us. We know the children would love the teachers, and other pupils, to see what they have been doing. We have set up new Twitter and Instagram accounts to share home learning:



Twitter

twitter.com/q1ehomelearning



Instagram

instagram.com/q1ehomelearning/

If you want to, you can use these accounts to share examples of what children are working on, or work they are really proud of. Simply take a photo of your child's work, upload it to twitter or Instagram, and tag **q1ehomelearning**. To keep your children safe, we won't re-share a post that contains a child's name and face together, or comes from an underage account (children under 13 should not have their own accounts).

Easter holiday home learning

While we will not set Maths, English and Curriculum activities for the next two weeks, we know that keeping active and busy will be really important for us all.

At the end of this week we will be putting some engaging (optional) **new projects** on the website for your children. There will be something for everyone, to help your families have fun and keep learning – if they want to! In case you haven't seen it, the 'More to Do' section of the website, at www.q1e.co.uk/more-to-do/, already has some great activities to try.

Thank you for your ongoing support. Again, please do share anything your child is proud of via Twitter and Instagram - we will be so excited to see their work!

Yours,

John Grove, Executive Headteacher