



12th October 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope this letter finds you safe and well.

The coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic has provided many challenges in our approach to delivering education. The impact of the pandemic is continuing to affect us all, with changes from government imminent. In line with the government requirements and guidance we have improved our remote education. This will be the case where a class, group of pupils, or individual pupils need to self-isolate, or there are local/national restrictions requiring pupils to remain at home.

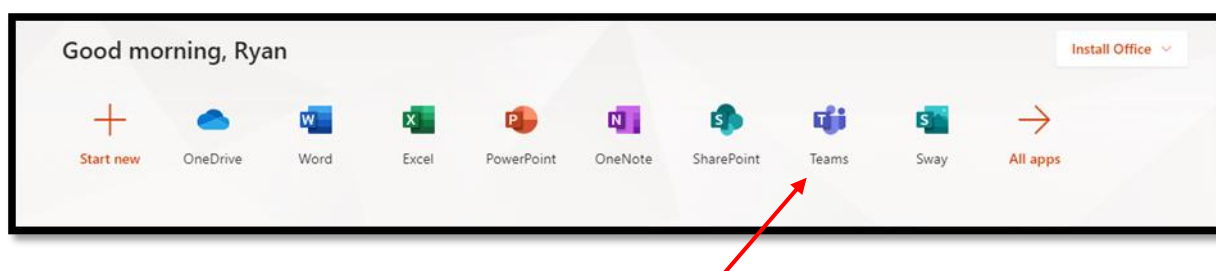
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As part of our on-going work and to ensure learning is not disrupted due to the unexpected circumstances of COVID-19 we have created a platform where live lessons, homework and learning collaboration can take place.

We have set up email addresses and passwords so that your children can access TEAMS in OFFICE 365. There is no software needed, only a hardware, such as a laptop, PC, tablet, ipad or even a smart phone.

After log in, Microsoft will go through an introduction.

Your child will then be able to access the apps below and lots more.



The apps below are the apps that the children are used to seeing in school.

To start with, your child's teacher will be mainly using the TEAMS app, this is where (in the future) homework will be set. You will see a tab called 'assignments' this is where tasks will be found.

Your child has been using this in school so they are familiar with it already. **Your child's email address and password can be found in their reading diary.**

Email addresses for log in will be your child's initial.surname12@Dunstallhillprimary.com i.e Jason Smith would be j.smith12@dunstallhillprimary.com * the number will be the year your child's cohort started school*

Year2-18
Year3-17
Year4-16
Year5-15
Year6- 14

Therefore, HELEN BAKER in year 4 would be H.Baker16@dunstallhillprimary.com

***IF YOU HAVE ANY DIFFICULTIES PLEASE EMAIL YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER ON THE CLASS EMAIL, THEY WILL BE ABLE TO CONFIRM EMAIL ADDRESSES AND INITIAL PASSWORDS WITH YOU.**

dh.y2homelearning@perryhallmat.co.uk

dh.y3homelearning@perryhallmat.co.uk

dh.y4homelearning@perryhallmat.co.uk

dh.y5homelearning@perryhallmat.co.uk

dh.y6homelearning@perryhallmat.co.uk

If your child's surname is double barrelled with a hyphen, it will appear like this on their email i.e Amy Smith-Jones will be a.smith-jones12@.....

Hyphenated first names will just appear as 1 initial i.e Tammy-Leigh Jackson will just be t.jackson12@.....

Thank you for your continued support and I hope we do not have need for this, but to be prepared will support the progress of your child if needed.

Yours Faithfully,



L Fellows

Head of School