

Neatishead, Salhouse and Fleggburgh Federation



Executive Headteacher: Ms Julie Church

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Dear Parents/Carers,

The government have begun to share plans for supporting families to access remote education if children need to be educated at home sometime in the future if, for example, they need to self-isolate, are on the shielding list or if there is a local/community lock down.

Schools can apply for tablets and laptops and there will be support for families to get on-line.

The devices would, as I understand it, be owned by the school and loaned to families who need them. This is for children in Years 3-11.

Although I am awaiting further detail it would be a help if you could let the school know if you

1. Have no digital devices at home
2. Only have a smart phone device to use
3. If you have one tablet/laptop that has to be shared with more than one other family member
4. Do not have a fixed Broadband connection at home

If any of the above applies to you, you may be eligible for this support in the future.

If you are interested in benefitting from this proposed scheme, please email or contact the office with the name of your child and which of the 1-4 apply to you.

The school could then place an order when/if:

- Face to face education is disrupted following official advice
- Your child has official advice to shield as they are clinically extremely vulnerable
- Our school is subject to local restrictions which your child is unable to attend

Please speak with us if you are unsure whether you might be eligible.

Kind Regards,

Ms Julie Church

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