



## **Top Tips for Remote Education and Home Learning** **Reception**

- Access to the School's Remote Home Learning is through the School Website, the learning platform Seesaw (unique password provided) and physical resources provided by school before closure.
- Seesaw will be updated by school remotely on a weekly basis.
- The weeks will be numbered according to the school week we are currently in for example the week beginning 16<sup>th</sup> March 2020 is Spring 2 Week 4. Even if you don't stick to the weeks it will benefit to follow the weeks sequentially particularly the phonics and the maths.
- The Phonics is taught in Phases. We have just finished teaching Phase 3 and in the summer term we will start to teach Phase 4. Spotting digraphs (2 letters one sound) and tri-graphs (3 letters one sound) is tricky so keep practising this skill for reading and writing!
- As a minimum please keep up with regular Reading. We recommend that you use the website Oxford Owl E-book Library (see link below) and choose books that match the colour level your child is on at school ie pink, red, yellow or blue.

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/>

- Other everyday activities could include practising handwriting and number formation. The way we teach the formation of these is on the School Website.
- Use the list of educational websites to support home learning.
- Please use the Portal Interactive Learning Diary to share with us what your child is doing at home! This can be anything related to the home learning or anything at all! Unfortunately observations and gathering evidence is a huge part of our way of knowing what your child is capable of and we are missing all of these lovely opportunities. Please help us to record these and continue to build up your child's learning profile.
- If you have any issues accessing Seesaw please contact the office at [office@westhove-inf.brighton-hove.sch.uk](mailto:office@westhove-inf.brighton-hove.sch.uk)

