Dear Parents/Carers

If your child is self-isolating at home, or in the event of a school closure, the following learning activities have been put together to enable your child to continue their learning at home. Please support your child with working through these.

Our school website is <https://www.hardwickprimaryschoolderby.co.uk/website>. Once you have accessed the website, this information, along with further learning activities for your child to access, can be found in our Curriculum section, under Home Learning.

Thank you.

**Nursery home learning tasks**

Literacy

-Practice recognising your own name.

-Practice writing your own name.

-Explore practicing different marks shown by an adult (crosses/zigzags/spirals).

-Read a book a day and practice retelling the story. Interactive versions of our quality texts this year: ‘5 Little Pumpkins’, ‘Dear Santa’, ‘Snow’, ‘Snowball’, ‘The Very Hungry Caterillar’, ‘Peck Peck Peck’, ‘Colin and Lee’ and ‘The Colour Monster’ are also available on Youtube.

-Start to recognise initial sound in words. Sounds to focus on: ‘s, a, t, p, i, n’. Example: Play ‘I Spy’ (‘I spy with my little eye a friend beginning with the sound ‘s’) .

-Sort rhyming words. Example: Children can group cat with hat, and dog with frog.

-Draw a picture every day.

Mathematics

-Practise confidently counting to 10 (The children are used to doing this as rockets in Nursery).

-Count objects up to 10 (and to 20 if ready).

-Start to recognise simple 2D shapes (square, triangle, circle, rectangle).