



St Francis Catholic Primary School

# Remote Learning Policy Statement

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At St Francis Catholic Primary School, we aim to keep our children safe, happy, and learning. While the general legal requirement for schools to offer remote education has ended, we continue to provide online learning in specific, limited circumstances so that our pupils never miss out on their education.

### **When Remote Learning is Provided**

We will provide remote learning via Microsoft Teams under the following conditions:

- **School Closures:** If the school must close fully or partially due to an emergency, safety issue, or extreme weather.
- **Long-Term Medical Absence:** If a child cannot attend school for a prolonged period due to verified health needs, working in partnership with the Local Authority.
- **Individual Case-by-Case Needs:** For temporary absences where a child is well enough to learn but cannot physically attend school, assessed on an individual basis.

### **Delivery and Expectations for Primary Pupils (Ages 4–11)**

When remote learning is activated, we aim to match our usual in-school curriculum. Because our pupils are young, we design our online tasks to be engaging and accessible:

- **Platform:** All lessons, activities, and resources will be posted on Microsoft Teams.
- **Age-Appropriate Tasks:** Activities for younger children (EYFS and Key Stage 1) will focus on practical tasks and phonics, while older children (Key Stage 2) will have more independent projects, with a key focus on core subjects.
- **Parental Support:** We understand that primary-aged children need help with technology. We keep instructions simple so parents can easily guide their children.

For further details, technical help with Microsoft Teams, or to request support, please contact the school office – [office@stfrancisprimary.org](mailto:office@stfrancisprimary.org)