



# MANOR PARK CE (VC) FIRST SCHOOL & PRE-SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been great seeing your children settle back into school and getting to grips so quickly with the new Year 2 routines and we really appreciate your support in adapting to our new way of school life - thank you!

We would normally invite parents into school for an information evening, detailing the expectations of Year 2 and the assessments we will be preparing for with your children. In the current climate this is unable to happen but we want to reassure you that we are still here working with you. We have decided to share a presentation detailing what we believe will be the format regarding assessments this year. This information is based on the most up-to-date guidance from the Department of Education but we are receiving updates weekly so of course, if there are any changes, we will notify you as soon as possible.

Your children's happiness and wellbeing are extremely important to us and we are also here to support them with their learning, enabling them to reach their full potential. There are many ways you can support your child with their learning at home and suggestions on how this can be done are included in our presentation for you. These include information about reading with your child regularly, supporting them with their spellings and maths fluency ideas to practise at home.

We will put this presentation onto Google Classroom as well as onto our school website for your reference. If you have any questions or would like any further information, please do not hesitate to get in touch by phoning or emailing the school office and we will get back to you as soon as possible. You may also like to send us a private message on Google Classroom. Your child's class teacher will respond to questions and children's learning regularly through this platform. If you've not already signed up, please do as we will be using this regularly over the coming year.

We are very much looking forward to working in partnership with you and your children in Year 2.

Take care and stay safe,

The Year 2 Team

