

Our core purpose is that every young person should gain as much as possible from our school, based on our belief that all learners can, need and want to achieve.

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Dear parents,

Following the MOEHE announcement made yesterday (December 31), which I am sure you are aware of by now, I am writing to confirm that students at DBS Wakra will be learning at home and online only from tomorrow (Sunday January 02), for a period of one week in the first instance.

We have been in this situation as a school community twice before, of course, and on both occasions our brilliant students have continued to both thrive and access an outstanding education despite the obvious challenges present. Our teachers too are now not only accustomed to teaching online but also have become experts at using the technology at their disposal, so we can expect only the highest standards of learning to take place.

This temporary measure is both an opportunity to protect our community's health and to ensure that our students can be prepared for the learning which awaits them for the remainder of this academic year. On Sunday morning, when students would normally attend school physically, they should simply log onto the appropriate online learning platform (Tapestry for our EYFS students, Class Dojo and Google Classroom for our primary students and Google Classroom for our secondary students) where they will find the instructions for the day ahead. We will use a range of the apps at our disposal, both the aforementioned and others such as Zoom and Century, to make sure that the young people in our care continue to access outstanding lessons.

As always, if any parents would like to contact me directly regarding the content of this letter, I would welcome them to do so via the email address below.

Yours sincerely,

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