

Dear Parent,

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I have uploaded a work schedule for your child on class Dojo today. I have also created a sample day if it helps in anyway. Also, separate activity sheets marked in red to follow shortly. Please pick & choose the activities which work best around your own family schedule, if you have one and if not - that's fine too!

This is an emotionally challenging time for children - please do not put excessive pressure on them, or on yourselves as parents, to complete ALL school-based tasks. I know that some of you are trying to do your own work from home. Go easy on yourself.

Remember this is not home schooling. You did not choose to home school your child. This is an emergency and when everything settles, we teachers will pick up where we left off.

The important thing right now is that you and your child are physically and mentally well.

Remember also that learning can take place in a wide range of scenarios in the home, without worksheets and websites! Please feel free to spend time cooking, gardening, playing, building & drawing with your child & try to make a pledge that you will read together every day! This is a time for building our children's emotional well-being, helping them adapt to change, for instilling in them a sense of resilience and above all, for learning the value of being a family.

Take care and God bless.

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