

## Seesaw Home Learning!

Dear South Avenue Primary School parents and guardians,

We appreciate these difficult times are a real challenge for trying to maintain some education at home and as such have decided to use the online learning platform 'Seesaw'. This online learning platform will allow our children to access learning from home! Teachers are able to upload activities and tasks for you to access and complete at home. Seesaw has fantastic features that allow the children to respond to activities and tasks by uploading videos, taking photographs and even drawing and typing directly into activities set online! Reception classes will still be using Tapestry and do not need to worry about Seesaw unless you have a child in an older year group.

### Home Learning Student Sign In Codes

Children do not need to sign up for an account, each student will receive a unique Home Learning Code to access Seesaw. When signing in with their Home Learning Code, students can post to their journal, respond to activities and view class announcements. Students do not see the work of any other student in class.

Your class teachers will be in contact with you via email, between now and the 14<sup>th</sup> of April, to give you your code and help out with any issues you may have accessing Seesaw. This means that all children should be set up and ready to go by the 20<sup>th</sup> April! Children will need to respond to the task set up on Seesaw. This will help us identify those that are having difficulties accessing the site. The code does expire after 90 days of being given to you. You can request and generate a new code at any time.

### How do students use their home learning code?

1. Go to <https://app.seesaw.me> on a computer. Or install the Seesaw **Class App** on an iOS or Android device.



2. Choose "I'm a Student".



3. Type in the codes that your teacher has given you. Remember that this code is like a password! Keep it safe! \*Note that there is a QR code option; however, we will not be using this, you will be given a text code.



\*Please do be aware that Seesaw has the capability to post and respond using videos and photographs, children responding in this way must be supervised by their parent/guardian, must not be in their bedroom and everyone visible must be fully clothed. This is to safeguard everyone that is using Seesaw.

We do appreciate how different this is going to be for the children, you as parents and guardians and equally for us as teachers, so we will all be learning to tackle remote learning together!

If you do have any questions or need support with accessing these then please do get in contact.

Kind regards,

South Avenue Primary School Teachers