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Dear Parent/Carer

Education Scotland is conducting a review of remote learning across Scotland. The purpose of this survey is to hear directly from parents and carers about your experience of remote learning. They are also asking learners, staff and headteachers about what is working well and what could be improved. Your feedback will inform a report that they will publish on the Education Scotland website on 29 January 2021.

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=oyzTzM4Wj0KVQTctawUZKfPSCggx0KJOuQUNdkNAd35UM0VETFdTOTJLSTZJTk84Vkl2UjhISkxSRy4u>

You will be aware of the First Minister's announcement on Tuesday that Home Learning will be continuing for all schools in Scotland until at least the middle of February. This is not what we were hoping to hear but did not come as a surprise given the prevalence of the COVID-19 virus throughout Scotland.

Primary teachers are busy preparing for the next block of work and to support them with this, we would like pupils to return key pieces of work to allow teachers to collate and assess work completed so far before providing new resources.

Arrangements for the return of Primary resources

Please return the below items, where possible inside their blue folders to the Primary porch between **9:30 and 10:30am on Friday 29th January**.

Primary 1/2 – any completed work

Primary 3 – any completed worksheets and red jotter

Primary 4 – red jotter and any worksheets printed off and completed

Primary 5/6 – maths and language jotters and any completed maths worksheets

Primary 6/7 – maths jotter and any completed worksheets

Arrangements for the collection of Primary resources

Please collect jotters and packs between **9:30am and 10:30am on Monday 1st February** from the porch for P3 and P4 pupils and outside classroom doors for P1/2, P5/6 and P6/7.

If the area outside a particular school entrance is congested when picking up materials, please be patient and remember to observe social distancing. We would also ask that you wear a face covering. If you are unable to pick up materials on the Monday morning, they will be available in the school porches on Monday afternoon.

Yours sincerely

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