Dear Parents,

Many thanks for bearing with us as we navigate these muddy waters!

Year 3/4 live sessions will begin tomorrow morning at 8.30am. We will send your link via email as well as google classroom 10 minutes before the session is due to start.

To get set up to access the Year 3/4 live sessions, please follow these instructions.

- 1. Log on to your child's school email account and click on the nine dots in the upper right corner of the screen.
- 2. Click on Google Classroom.
- 3. Click on the + button in the upper right corner of the screen.
- 4. Click 'Join a Class'.
- 5. Enter this code: ys4fara
- 6. Click the blue JOIN button at the top right-hand side of the screen.

Your child is now enrolled in the Minchinhampton Year 3/4 2020-2021 Google Classroom. You should only have to follow the above instructions once.

Once you have completed the above five steps, we will be able to send you Google Meet links for the live sessions. We will send a link immediately before each session is due to start. The link will be different every time, so you must follow the most recent link to access the correct Google Meet.

I hope these instructions are clear. If you experience any technical difficulties with Google classroom, please contact Mrs Jackson on <u>teal@minchschool.net</u> and she will be happy to assist you as soon as she is able to. All other enquiries can be sent to your usual class teacher: Miss Tonner: <u>sapphire@minchschool.net</u> Miss Griffiths: <u>royal@minchschool.net</u> Ms McCarron: <u>cyan@minchschool.net</u>

The timetable for Year 3/4 will be:

Monday-Thursday

8.30am-9.30am Live English lesson (tomorrow's session will be a fun introductory session!)
9.40am-10.10am Spelling Shed
10.30am-11am Work through the recorded Maths Video on the Year 3/4 Padlet or YouTube. Use home learning pack (PPT is on Padlet also)
11.30am-12.00pm Year 3 Live Maths Drop-in
12:00pm-12.30pm Year 4 Live Maths Drop-in

Please encourage your child to be ready to learn ie has been to the toilet, had a drink, has pencil and paper at the ready.

After lunch, please ensure your child reads for at least 20 minutes. Then have a look at the Year 3/4 Padlet for activities for the foundation subjects.

We will begin very soon, to offer maths support in the afternoon for small groups and individuals who are struggling in much the same way as we would do if the children were at school.

The Padlet link for the Year 3/4 Padlet and where you will find the recorded maths videos is here: https://padlet.com/cmccarron2/Year3and4HomeLearningTerm6 Password: Term6 The YouTube link for the recorded maths videos is here: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCdlQFtTUIQNx_A0fVaFUnbw/videos

Best wishes, Miss Griffiths, Ms McCarron and Miss Tonner