

Seesaw Code of conduct

We are really excited to be using Seesaw to deliver home learning for our children. It provides a unique opportunity for us to genuinely work together to take learning forward. We do, however, need to ensure that we use it in a safe and appropriate manner. We have therefore put together this Code of Conduct. Please read carefully and discuss with your children so that we can make the most and the best of our learning in a safe, kind and respectful way.



What is Seesaw?

Seesaw is an online learning platform that allows children to upload and complete work assigned by teachers. Children can send work to be approved by the teacher- only then can it be viewed by others in the class. Work is only shared within the group and nowhere else.

For children

If children have access to the internet, we ask children to login to Seesaw and complete activities assigned by the teacher between 9am-3pm, Monday to Friday. Children can upload documents, draw pictures, write notes etc. Seesaw allows children the ability to upload photos, so we ask that children only upload photos when it is relevant to the activity assigned e.g. if they have made something. If any pieces of work are irrelevant or inappropriate they will be immediately deleted by the class teacher. Children should respond to pieces that have been checked and they may wish to add positive and constructive feedback to other children's work. No critical, unkind or silly comments please.

For teachers

The teacher is responsible for setting activities daily from Monday to Friday. Classes have been collapsed into one single year team so planning should be shared across the year team. Between 10am- 2pm, teachers will be monitoring work, checking and approving work to go onto Seesaw, and providing meaningful feedback where appropriate. This feedback can be a written comment or voice recording. There may be a delay in approving work depending on the number of uploads. Teachers will not respond outside of these times. Families may contact teachers by the emails provided if they have any questions.

For families - staying safe online

Please sign up using your unique login code (pasted into your child's exercise book) so you can get actively engaged in your child's learning. Discuss the activities assigned to your child's class so you know what they are being asked to do. Please monitor your child's use of Seesaw and

check what they are uploading. As part of your monitoring of its safe use, we also strongly recommend that the work is done in a shared family space rather than in a bedroom. Seesaw is not intended as a social media platform so anything unrelated to the work being set will not be approved by the teacher and will be deleted. If any inappropriate content is submitted we will get in touch with you immediately and work will be deleted. *If there is a genuine need for your child to appear in a video* i.e. if they are carrying out an experiment, then please ensure that they are appropriately dressed (as if they were at school) and if possible avoid their face appearing in the shot. Adopt normal online safety behaviours at all times. Please talk all this through at home so that your child understands their responsibilities for the safe use of Seesaw.