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Dear Parents.

The Minister Of Education has announced that Primary school pupils will be taught remotely until 11^{th} January. Pupils in St Clare's Abbey were not due to return to school until Thursday 7^{th} January, so the arrangements for home learning will apply only to Thursday 7^{th} January and Friday 8^{th} . You are all familiar with Seesaw and I ask you to access this on Thursday for the work planned for your child.

The minister has also stated that schools are to provide supervised learning for vulnerable children and key workers' children during this time (ie Thursday 7th and Friday 8^{TH} for our school.)

If you require this provision, please complete the application form below and email to me at mmonaghan771@c2kni.net by 12 pm on Tuesday 5th January. I will need Tuesday and Wednesday to make arrangements and will send out an app message on Wednesday afternoon, please look out for this.

I conclude by wishing you and your families every blessing for 2021. We survived a tumultuous 2020 together and I fully anticipate that 2021 will offer a few bumps also. With your support and willingness to work with us we will all continue to do the best for our children.

Yours in partnership,

Mrs Monaghan

Principal St Clare's Abbey

