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Parental Update 11th February

Good morning everyone,

I hope you and your families are well. We are approaching the half way point of this term and look forward to a week off from remote teaching and learning. Thank you for working hard with your children despite some frustrating challenges. I appreciate that for a lot of families it has been very hard to manage their usual work and manage their children's learning at home. Thankfully, we will all enjoy a well-earned break.

The school will close from Monday 15th February - Friday 19th February for midterm break.

## After Mid-term Break

In preparation for the week when we return to school (Monday 22nd February) our P1 and P2 teachers will post the timetable and all the work on Seesaw this Friday as usual.

Our P3 - P7 teachers will post the timetable and work for Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd on Seesaw this Friday with the work for Wednesday 24th, Thursday 25th and Friday 26th uploaded on Tuesday 23rd February.

## Keeping Safe Online

On Tuesday of this week we celebrated Safer Internet Day. - a day when we celebrated staying safe online. The internet has been a lifeline for most young people during the pandemic in terms of their education and social lives.

However, the internet also presents them with challenges around trust and reliability. It is therefore very important that the children follow our Online Safety Mascot's four rules:

Content - If unsure always show and tell an adult.

Contact - Never talk to strangers online.

Contact - Always be kind online no matter what way you contact anyone.

Commercial - Never open any popup windows or marketing emails. Always show and tell an adult.

Have a good week and rest everyone,

From all in St. Clare's Abbey