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Dear Parent

Home Access Grants – invitation to apply

Home Access is a government programme that helps eligible low-income families to buy a computer and internet access to support learning at home. The programme is for families in England.

To apply for a Home Access Grant, you must be a parent or guardian responsible for and living with a child who:

- is in school years 3 to 9 (normally aged 7–14)
- has never had a computer from “Computers For Pupils” or the “Home Access programme”
- is eligible for Free School Meals, and
- is named on your Child Benefit award letter.

To get a grant application pack, you need to contact the

Home Access Grant Helpline: 0333 200 1004 (Monday to Friday 8am–8pm, Saturday 9am–1pm)

You will be given a basic eligibility check over the phone. If successful, you will be sent an application pack. It will tell you everything you need to fill in an application form. It also includes a Freepost envelope for returning the form.

If your application is successful, the grant will allow you to buy one of the following Home Access packages:

1. Full package (a computer, one year’s internet access, service and support)
2. A computer, service and support only
3. One-year’s internet access only

This is a fantastic opportunity and we really hope your application is successful. Further information is available on our school website.

Yours sincerely

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