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Hello,

I hope you are all well. I would like to share with you a link to resources compiled by our friends at Ashgate Specialist School; they have collated some really useful information for home learning, particularly for children with special educational needs. and it can be found here: <http://www.ashgate.manchester.sch.uk/page/working-at-home-work/65510>

The Local Authority is continuing to publish a weekly Local Offer Newsletter, which can be found

at <https://hsm.manchester.gov.uk/kb5/manchester/directory/advice.page?id=uptXtrEL9fq>.

This week they have shared a link to Dekko comics which are educational comics that are especially engaging for pupils with dyslexia and autism. These can be read online or you can order a hard copy and they can be found here: <https://dekkocomics.com/about/whats-dekko>.

If your child is struggling with understanding Covid 19 and lockdown, one of my favourite illustrators, Axel Scheffler, illustrator of the Gruffalo, has published a free information book explaining the Coronavirus to children: <https://nosycrow.com/blog/released-today-free-information-book-explaining-coronavirus-children-illustrated-gruffalo-illustrator-axel-scheffler/>.

I'm sure many of you will know of the TV show, Get Well Soon with Dr Ranj, on CBeebies. They have launched a new episode today to explain Coronavirus and they sing a song about washing hands: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/p08bmd70/get-well-soon-coronavirus>.

I hope that you are all managing to look after yourselves as well as your children, I know it is extremely difficult juggling many roles from home. If you need any further support or help, please don't hesitate to get in touch with your child's class teacher or myself and we will do all we can to help.

Kind regards,
Christina Smith

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