

I think when we then moved to having to do some learning at home through COVID and lockdowns, it was quite a seamless transition because our children were so used to accessing the devices, they knew how to had to find their learning through the online learning platforms we use. But they also knew that the learning they were doing at home, they could create in many different ways because they have the skills from school. And I think the takeaway for us and the response to how children learn at home with the devices is that now they go home all the time.

And we always said that we wouldn't allow the children to take them home and we would worry they would get lost or damaged or would be used inappropriately; but actually the pandemic made us decide to give them all out and for them to use them at home, and they've been so responsible and successful.

And because they see that it is a tool for learning and a school device that has been allocated to them, they are responsible users, and of course, you miss a few charges and so on. But I think for us that giving them the opportunity to take them home has actually opened up learning possibilities even further, whether it's like a pre quiz they do on their device, an extra bit of reading via a library, app or whatever it is that they're able to do that. The possibilities are just expanded again through that as well.