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“ Education is a better safeguard of liberty than a standing army”

Edward Everett

Dear Parent /Guardian

STUDENT HOMESTUDY E- LEARNING OUTREACH PROGRAM

Bring learning and Teaching to your doorstep!

Special circumstances require special measures and adaptability from all key stakeholders including the parents, the child, the teachers and school administration. It is the responsibility of the schools to adopt a more holistic approach and be prepared for any such circumstances in the future which hinder the course of regular schooling and impinges on the security of children. In continuation of our rich history of engaging students in world class learning and providing such enriching experiences, Roots in the first of its kind Initiative in Pakistan, has launched a special 'homestudy' web portal <http://www.rootsschool.edu.pk/homestudy>. The ultimate objective of the online web portal is to ensure 'learning never stops' and that the basic facets of learning are fulfilled even if the students are at home for any reason.

E- LEARNING

The new millennium was ushered in by a dramatic technological revolution. It is changing our world, the context in which our students live and learn today, in more dramatic ways with each new development. Today's students live in a world that is extremely fast-paced, constantly changing, increasingly culturally diverse, technologically driven, and media-saturated. It requires that we provide an education designed to help our students truly succeed. So what is E-Learning? It is bold. It breaks the mold. It addresses a rapidly changing world filled with fantastic new problems as well as exciting new possibilities. <http://www.rootsschool.edu.pk/homestudy> just endeavors to do that. Through this E- Learning platform Roots School Curriculum, worksheets, assignments and lesson plans are shared with parents and students for all age groups according to their subject/tier wise weekly school study schedule for activities posted on the web portal with many more online student and parent resources.

The Benefits

<http://www.rootsschool.edu/homestudy> is extremely user friendly. We at RSS believe in an optimal utilization of technology to follow global academic best practices. This curriculum has effectively integrated ICT with all subjects and offers active learning aligned to living and studying in a globalized new millennium classroom.

Your children are the future of Pakistan. Let's work together to make them succeed even at home!

Happy Home Learning!



What is Roots Home Study Online Portal

Online Outreach Program refers to the instruction at home through curriculum posted on the web portal. Online learning potentially allows students and parents access to specialized learning resources and materials and greater flexibility in scheduling self study time and resources. The best part is that Parents can be with their children during online study session and sponsor an extended classroom at their own doorstep.

Using the Roots Home Study Online Portal

The goal of the portal is to provide resources that your child could actually use to supplement his/her learning while at home and provide for self and home study guided learning opportunities in parental and self supervision to catch up with lost teaching and learning hours at school in extenuating circumstances.

Enrich your home study time with these printable e-learning resources. Using the Home Schooling website is as simple as ABC.

Features of Online Study Program

Getting Started

As a brand new home study student or parent, you may be wondering how to get started on your journey. Here are a few steps to help get organized and get a good start with home study Program. Simply click on <http://www.rootsschool.edu.pk/homestudy> and gain access to RSS on-line e-learning resources.

Features of Roots Home Study Online Portal

The Roots home study portal contains grade/class wise printable worksheets, teaching guidelines, virtual assessments, comprehension sheets, activity sheets, descriptive writing sheets, guided writing sheets, supplementary sheets and assignment sheets for all subjects for each age group. Moreover it offers guidelines for parents and students, virtual Q/A form for asking home questions and a host of web links with teacher advice. The Worksheets are divided into levels which include Montessori to Grade 7.

- A. Click on the Grade Level Tab
- B. Choose the Subject
- C. Download the worksheet or Resource.
- D. Print the Worksheet
- E. Encourage your child to complete the week wise worksheets/tasks in the allocated time
- F. Send the homework back to the branch head with the Name, Grade and Section of your child.

Guidelines for Parents

What materials do you use to teach your children? What subjects do you teach and how? Find guidance on the home study curriculum and help with some teaching techniques on the web portal at the Parental Guidelines Link.

RSS Homestudy support:

For 24 hour website support address your queries to homestudy@rootsschool.edu.pk or call your local school head and class teacher.

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