PURPLE MASH FOR PARENTS

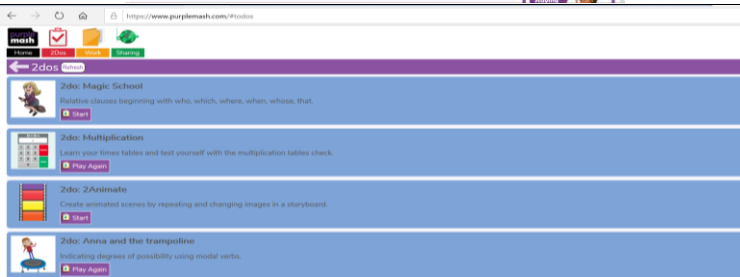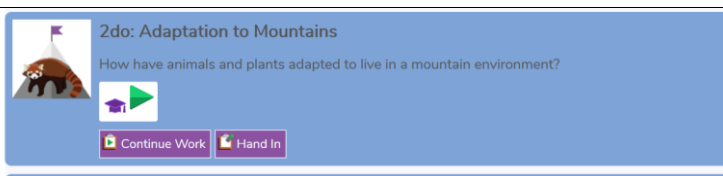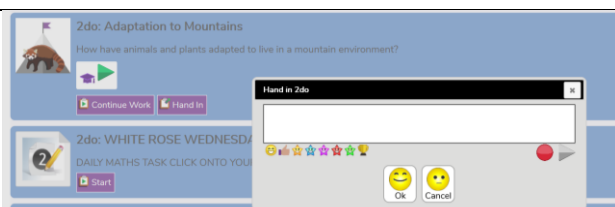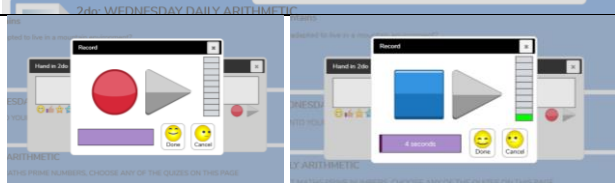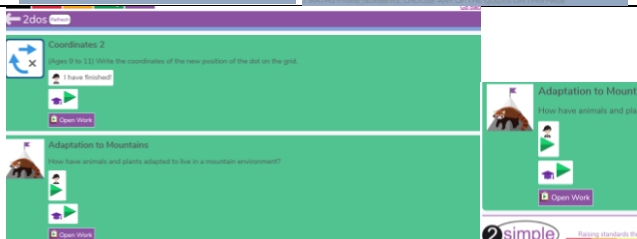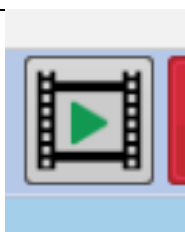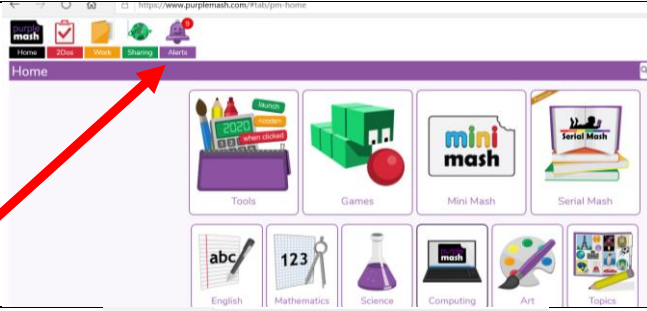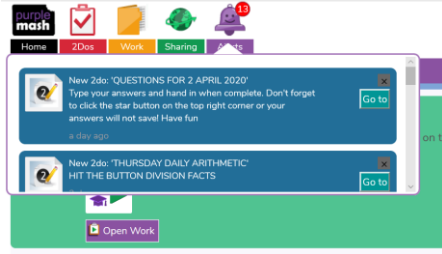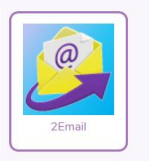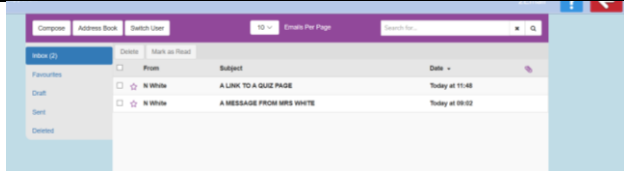|	
Using Purple Mash at home https://www.purplemash.com/sch/stv-sg1 Your child will have a username and password, teachers can provide these via email if needed	
	Open the 2Do section to find the tasks that have been set
	Blue are 2Do tasks to be completed, set by the teacher. Some remain on the list when completed as they are games or tasks that can be replayed. Teachers receive a record when the game has been completed so there is no 'Hand in' option. To begin a task click start
	Pupils to not need to complete each task in one go, they can save their work and open it up again later. Many tasks are supposed to take more than one learning session. Pupils save the work and there is an option to continue work
	When the task is completed, they Hand in. Pupils can: Type a message in the box Record a message to the teacher
	Click the red circle and record when the blue square is showing Click done when finished Then click OK
	Some 2Do tasks are green, these are tasks that have been completed and there is a message from the teacher to listen to or read. Click the green arrow by the teacher icon to listen to the message Click the pupil icon to listen to the message left by the pupil
	In many activities and tasks there is a video to watch if a pupil is unsure how to complete the task – click the Green film arrow in the top righthand corner

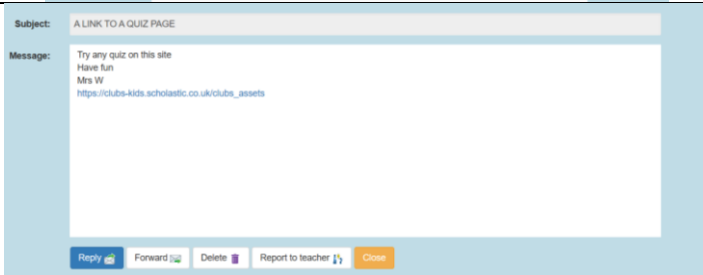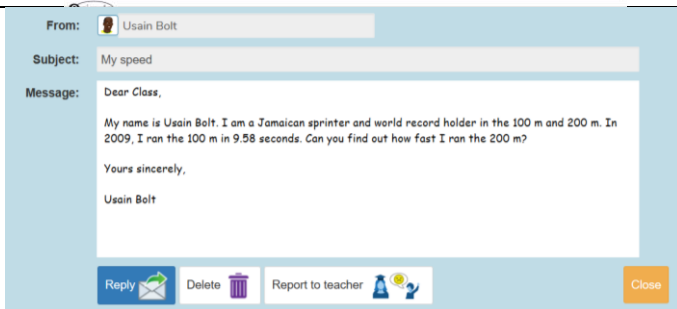| ALERTS	
	The purple bell is an alert for the pupil A comment may have been left or a new 2do has been set It is a good idea for pupils to close the alerts after they have seen them or completed a task
	Pupils can click Go to and complete the task or X to delete the alert
	Another method of communicating with pupils is through the Purple Mash email system. This is a safe communication within the Purple Mash system
	Pupils have an inbox and click on the email they would like to read
	Pupils can reply and send a message back to the teacher
	Learning to send and reply to emails is a learning tool in the system Pupils can send emails through the Purple Mash system and research a question set by the person they choose
	Once they have researched the answer, they can reply to the email