

17th March 2020

Dear Parents / Carers,

Following last night's Government Update, we appreciate that there is much uncertainty at this time. We would like to inform you that we are following all guidance set out by the DfE and County Council. This includes the school remaining open at present.

We are continually updating and following our critical plan following the latest notifications from the Government.

As it stands:

- All assemblies have been cancelled with immediate effect, until further notice.
- All trips, local and further afield, including swimming, will be cancelled.
- Caretakers and cleaners are ensuring all hard surfaces, door handles etc. are being cleaned, morning and night.
- Children eating their lunch will be restricted to small numbers within the same room.
- Regular hand washing is paramount and being monitored at regular times throughout the day.

We would like to remind you, at this time, that if your child or a member of your household shows any of the symptoms of COVID-19 (high temperature or a persistent cough), then the household should be self-isolating for 14 days. This does mean that you should not be leaving the house and ensuring you are following government guidelines. If you or a family member fall into the high risk categories, please ensure you are also following the guidelines set out by the Government and NHS.

Staff are currently working really hard to prepare packs in the event that we receive notification to close.

I am very aware that these are concerning times for all and we will keep you updated with any further guidelines that we receive.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding during this time.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs Munday
Headteacher