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Dear Parents and Carers,

Urgent update follow the government announcement 4/1/21

By now you will be aware that the government has made a decision to close all schools, to most pupils, until February half term. Schools received this information at the same time as parents.

Tomorrow, TUESDAY 5th JANUARY, the school will be CLOSED TO ALL PUPILS, to allow us one day to make the necessary emergency arrangements to welcome vulnerable children (those with an EHCP or a social worker) and those of critical workers, back to school on Wednesday 6 January 2021.

However, if you are a critical worker, at work on Tuesday 5 January 2021, during the school day, and unable to make any childcare arrangements, or you are unable to keep your child safe at home tomorrow, please contact me by email urgently and we will offer childcare support tomorrow in school. Breakfast club will be open if needed and school lunch will be available.

Please be aware that tomorrow we will only be providing childcare to those parents who have an absolute critical need of childcare. These children will be in the care of our Teaching Assistants, while our Teachers plan for longer term remote learning.

We will be communicating via a survey with all parents tomorrow, to identify critical workers. Please can we ask that you do not make contact with the school, in the meantime, unless it is absolutely necessary.

Further information will be sent in relation to our remote learning provision.

With very best wishes

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