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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Thank you for informing us that the Government's published key worker definition applies to you and therefore that your son/daughter will be attending school next week.

We just wanted to update you with the plans for the next fortnight.

All children will be expected to be in school from 8.30am and will finish at our usual time of 3pm. Unfortunately, we will not be able to offer breakfast club or any after school clubs. All children should arrive at school every day in full school uniform and bring with them their PE kit. Unless your child is entitled to benefits-related free school meals, then we ask you to send your child in each day with a packed lunch. If you are unsure if you qualify for benefits-related free school meals please contact us for clarification. Unfortunately, we do not have the capacity to offer daily school meals for all.

The usual daily school routines and expectations will continue to apply.

Our plan is to operate on a rota of staff; this does mean that your child may not be with their usual class teacher or with the rest of their class, nor can we promise consistency of who the teacher is every day. We are expecting children in school from every year group and will operate a mixed year group class. As per the Government's advice, the school will not necessarily follow the National Curriculum, however we will complete their home learning activities which they have already been provided with. Please can they bring their folders and reading books with them.

If your child is unable to attend school on any day, please can you contact the office in the normal way by 9am. It is imperative that you continue to follow the guidance of Public Health England and if your son/daughter or anyone in your household develops a temperature or a persistent new cough, that you as a family must self-isolate for 14 days. We will continue to monitor the children in school and would of course have to send home any child who we have concerns about.

Please ensure that we have up to date contact details, particularly if these have changed due to government guidelines.

We appreciate that these are very unprecedented times and will continue to support you in any way we can.

Yours Sincerely

Jill Hibbs

Headteacher