

20th March 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you for your ongoing patience whilst we are planning for next week in the first instance and further into the future.

Most of you completed the online survey which helped us with our decision to keep the school open next week for every pupil whose parent has requested it.

We have used your responses, as well as responses from our staff to determine the best way to support your children

There will be some slight changes to the provision we offer in the forthcoming weeks, in particular, due to the low numbers of pupils and staff across the school we will be amalgamating classes to ensure all pupils have adequate support. This will ultimately mean that some curriculum areas will be changed in order to support the wide range of needs and abilities. For some pupils who usually receive one-one support this may not be available in its entirety, I have to ensure that the offer we have is equitable for all pupils.

I will be asking you to fill out a survey each Thursday in order for us to know which pupils we will be expecting the following week. **If you don't fill out the survey I will assume you are not planning to send your child into school.**

It is essential that if you say your child won't be in the following week that you don't change your mind half way through and send them into school. This could have a serious impact on our staff to pupil's ratio.

I also need to make you aware that if we have a fall in the amount of staff who can commit to working, we may need to reassess the situation and apply criteria to making decisions about which pupils can attend. Firstly, we would look at those pupils who have both parents deemed to be a Key Worker. There is a list that has been produced by the Government that I will refer to if that is the case. I hope that I will not need to go down this route and be able to continue to offer provision for all pupils whose parents have requested it.

I hope you manage to have a good weekend.

Yours faithfully



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