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Dear Parents, Carers and friends of our school,

Despite the best efforts of my amazing team to put plans in place to keep our children safe, it is with regret and much frustration that, following the Prime Minister's announcement, from this evening school will close to all children with the exception of key workers and children who would be classed as vulnerable - for information on what is classed as a key worker child please see the link here:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-maintaining-educational-provision/guidance-for-schools-colleges-and-local-authorities-on-maintaining-educational-provision>

Staff will be in school tomorrow to ensure provision for remote learning is in place starting from Wednesday 6th January 2021. Whilst school will be open for children of key workers and those considered vulnerable, we ask, where possible, that you keep your child at home to enable staff to action our plan and ensure resources are in place and distributed by staff.

If your child falls into either of these categories and you feel it **essential** that your child attends school tomorrow, please access school through the car park gate at 8:45. The school day will run from 8:45 until 2:30pm. There will be no extended provision tomorrow or throughout Lockdown 3.

Your child will be expected to access their learning through their Microsoft Teams account. We will send a recap of the letter sent to you last year as what you can expect from our core remote learning offer for the coming weeks.

We await further guidance about our nursery provision but ask that tomorrow, if your child attends our nursery, please keep them at home.

Please rest assured the children, their safety and their education are our key priority and we will do everything that is possible to enable our young people to have access to an education that is worthy of them.

Please stay safe,

Damian Davey
Headteacher

