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Dear Parents and Carers,

For those who we will not see for a little while can I say how well your children have coped this week in particular and how much we will miss them all!

We hope and pray you and your families will all stay well and that we will see you sooner than we might all currently think is possible!

Please see the guidance attached at the end of this letter regarding Free School Meals if your child receives Free School Meals.

Do try and keep them learning and my advice is to plan and set up a routine to each day to help your child and you going. Keeping a pattern and balance to the day will really help them and you as a family. I know each family will do this in a way they can manage.

For those who we will see on Monday

(Keyworker and vulnerable children's families) can I say how well your children have coped this week in particular **You will already have had a text to let you know school is available for your child** in line with Government guidelines and we look forward to seeing you on Monday for an 8.55 start.

Ducklings please note we are not open at 8.30.

Children in Years N, R and 1 need to come to the main entrance of the main building on Monday to be welcomed.

Children in Years N, R and 1 will be taught by staff teams in Swans, Kingfishers and the library at the front of the main building and will be collected from the Kingfishers door in the afternoon-we will show you where that is if you don't know so please don't worry!

They will use the front playground and Nursey play areas.

Children in years 2, 3 and 4 need to come to the green hall door on Monday morning to be welcomed

Children in years 2, 3 and 4 will be taught by staff teams in Wrens and Robins classrooms and we will send those children home from the Wrens and Robins class rooms doors at the end of the day-again don't worry if you aren't sure where this is we will show you on Monday

They will use the back playground.

A number of staff cannot be in school, irrespective of whether they are a Key worker, for health or personal reasons that I am very aware of, and they will be 'masterminding the learning packs' at home for the distance learning we are giving those at home.

Teaching teams in N R and 1 will include: Mrs Vickers, Mrs Clark, Ms Herbert, Miss Almond, Mrs Dudley, Mrs Bartlett, Miss Elliott, Mrs Atkinson, Mrs Archer, Mrs Nash, Mrs French, Mrs Hooper and Mrs Rawson

Teaching teams in 2 3 4 will include: Mrs Kemp, Mrs Julians, Mrs Taylor, Mrs Mallett, Mrs Rivers, Mrs Soor, Mrs Swan, Miss White, Mrs Gaskin and Mrs Davies

Every child will have someone they already know teaching /supporting in their 'new class' with them.

What will my child need?

- Come dressed in school uniform
- PE kit; Please bring in on Monday as PE days will change so please in school for the week
- Snack and water bottle as normal please
- Please bring in the pack you have been given tonight in your child's book bag on the day your child comes to school next week
- Packed Lunches for FSM will be provided -no hot lunches will be provided
- Children who DO NOT have FSM entitlement will need to bring a packed lunch please
- Any Medicine they need will still be in school
- Anda smiley face!

We hope to make things as smooth as possible and will let you know how we are getting on. Day 1 will be different for us all and we will do our very best for your child.

If your child is not in school but is entitled to a Free School Meal (this is different from the Universal Free School Meals for Yrs. R-2), then a packed lunch is available to pick up from school. Please ring the school by 10am if you would like collect a packed lunch.

So for all of you many thanks for the back-up school has had recent weeks. Some of you, see you as soon as we reopen, and for others of you.... see you on Monday!

Yours sincerely,

Jane Spencer, Headteacher