



Rothwell Primary School



COVID-19 Update
Sunday 10th May, 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

I just wanted to e-mail in response to the Prime Minister's statement that he made earlier this evening.

Whilst I'm sure that you, like us, will have many unanswered questions, it is important to recognise that we are receiving any information at the same time as yourselves and we have no further information than has been announced this evening. We are informed of any decisions alongside yourselves, via the daily news bulletins.

As always, we will continue to do our best for our children, families, staff and community. However, it is important to reiterate that there will be no change to our current process, procedures and arrangements regarding the places we are currently able to offer for children in school.

Over the coming days and weeks, we will hopefully be given some clarity around the many uncertainties we all have.

As I'm sure you will appreciate, we are working tirelessly to do our best by everyone.

At present we are unable to answer anything further regarding future plans regarding opening. Over the course of this and forthcoming weeks, I will be liaising with governors, Headteachers in our Family of Schools, the Local Authority, Unions and others, in order to reach a point of clarity regarding the right steps forward for our school community.

For the time being, until we know more, I would be grateful if you only contact school if it is necessary and regarding something we will be able to support you with. As explained, questions regarding future plans, will take time and a great deal of consideration before we are in a position to give further details. We will not be rushing into making any decisions, until we know further details and receive key guidance regarding social distancing and other essential aspects, in order to keep children, staff and families safe.

Thank you for your ongoing support; your patience and understanding during this confusing and difficult time are greatly appreciated.

Kind Regards

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