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School Closure Update

Dear Parents and Carers,

Sadly, as you will be aware, the government has made the decision that all schools will be closed until at least February half-term. We are anxious that throughout this second school closure we continue to work with you and regularly support you and your children.

Currently, we have not received any updated guidance from the Department of Education. However, we have made plans for a possible school closure and I wanted to update you with the next steps.

Children of Critical Workers

School will be open to children of critical workers and we will provide daily education to those children that attend school. If you are a critical worker and your child needs a school place we would ask you to complete the online form that you will already have received, as soon as possible. We will then communicate with you before the end of day about plans for provision from tomorrow onwards.

Remote Learning

All class teachers will be posting work on Class Dojo today however this will not be our main method of remote learning. Over the coming days we will be delivering work packs to all children in school and will communicate regularly via phone calls, class dojo, showbie and zoom about how these can be used to support children's learning. We have used these methods successfully already with some classes when they have been self-isolating.

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We expect the children to engage with learning on a daily basis and will do our best to support you with this. I know that home learning is a challenge but if you communicate regularly with the class teacher we will do all we can to help

School Meals

As an interim measure you should have received a text to inform you that a packed lunch will be available for collection today for those children eligible for free school meals.

Moving forward we will liaise with Aspens, our catering provider, to find the best route forward. Please be aware that government guidance during the previous lockdown indicated that schools could not issue meal vouchers if the catering provider was able to provide hampers. This is likely to be the case again however once we have clear guidance we will let you know.

Safeguarding

Although school is closed we still have a duty of care to safeguard children. This will involve school phoning parents and carrying out home visits where we do not have regular engagement. Where necessary and when our concerns deem this be the case we may also escalate this to Nottingham City Children and Families Direct. In addition, we would also like to highlight that if you have any concerns about the safeguarding or welfare of a child at our school you can contact us directly by phone on 0115 9153266 or via email on safeguarding@rosslyn.nottingham.sch.uk.

Yours Sincerely

Scott Mason
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