

Hutton Cranswick CP School

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Dear Parents/Carers

We would like to apologise that we were unable to contact you last night with more information regarding the school closure announcement made by the Prime Minister. The untimely news was far from helpful to you as parents, and us, as a school. There was no possibility of us being able to organise provision in school for those eligible to attend today, hence making the decision to fully close for one day to allow us time to contact parents, organise staffing and finalise home learning plans.

Key Workers

To reiterate a message sent previously, please only request a Key Worker place if you are deemed to be a 'critical worker' and have no other option but to send your child to school to allow you to go to work.

For those parents who have contacted school regarding Key Worker provision, we will email you back to confirm places by the end of today. We will be sending a letter with further information regarding this provision.

If your child has an Education Health Care Plan (EHCP) or is otherwise deemed to be vulnerable, you will be contacted by a member of staff today regarding attending school during this lockdown period.

Home Learning

We will be sending year group remote learning letters with all the information you need via the APP today. Please contact your child's class teacher or school with any queries you have linked to the information in the letter. For the children who are in school during this partial closure, they will be completing the same learning that will be set for the children at home. The teachers will feedback on the children's home learning as often as possible, but please be mindful that they will be in school for a certain amount of time during the week, so it may not be possible to feedback on a daily basis.

In addition to the learning that will be detailed in the class home learning letters, we are hoping to set up weekly face to face virtual check in sessions with the class and teachers, for any children who would like to join. There will be more information regarding this next week. In the class letters you will find information regarding access to the online platforms. Please email your child's class teacher if you are unable to access the online provision and they will discuss things further with you.

Please stay safe during these extremely challenging times and rest assured we will do our very best to support your children over the coming weeks.

Best wishes, Mrs Burkinshaw

