

Friday 20th March 2020



Re: Childcare provision for the children of Key Workers

Dear Parent / Carer

Firstly, I apologise for the delay in information coming to you but we are getting constant updates, which are changing frequently.

As you know, from the end of today, school will be **closed** for the majority of children.

This morning the Local Authority had directed a number of schools to remain open as Hub Schools for some children. Since then, they have withdrawn this direction and have asked all schools to provide childcare for their own children who require it. Childcare is being provided for the children of Key Workers. If you have identified yourself to school as a Key Worker requiring childcare, we will have you on our list.

On Monday 23rd March 2020, if you are on the Key Workers list, please bring your child/ren to school at the normal school start time of 8.50am. Please ensure that they have had breakfast on Monday. If you wish them to have a fruit snack or packed lunch, please send this also. School dinners will be provided for those who require them.

Provision will be open until 6pm. Please let us know what time you will be collecting them and who will pick them up.

Please be aware that if you have not registered yourself with us as requiring this care, your child will not be accepted into school on Monday or beyond that point until further notice. If you still need to do this, please telephone or email the school office as soon as possible.

Please note, I have further information regarding children who are eligible for free school meals. This will follow shortly.

Thank you for your patience at this time. We are working hard to put these plans into place at very short notice but we are dedicated to looking after you and your families at this difficult time.

Kindest regards

Andrea Grist
Headteacher