

Tuesday 5th January 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

We would like to wish you all a Happy New Year. Whilst the term hasn't quite started as we intended, we hope everyone had a good break and that you are all safe and well.

National Lockdown update

We do apologise for the lateness of the notification last night, but due to the timing of the announcement it made it difficult to be timely.

Site and remote learning

Following the Prime Minister's announcement yesterday, the school will be closed for all pupils apart from key worker and vulnerable children. Learning is still very much active though and we will be starting tomorrow! Packs and device have been distributed so please be ready to log on for your sessions. Teachers are sending times/instructions, etc via School Comms. Please note that attendance is expected and will be monitored. We want to ensure that the children are still able to access learning and continue to make progress!

If you have any issues, please call school (722216) in the morning and we have people ready to help you.

A big thanks to staff for working so hard to get the device and packs organised today!

Free School Meals

Please note that children who are attending school and are in receipt of FSM, we will provide a lunch. Otherwise, meals need to be paid for as usual on Parent Pay if you wish us to provide a meal.

We are currently in the process of organising care packages for children who are FSM, who are not attending school and we will be in touch shortly. We will confirm plans for future weeks as soon as possible.

Woodlands Food Bank

For families who normally collect a food bank parcel from Woodlands Church - these will resume tomorrow and should be collected as normal every Wednesday (3-5pm) from the church.

Welfare Calls

As per the last lockdown, we will be in touch regularly to see how you are and to see if there is any support you need.

Kind regards,

Mrs Jo Sercombe
Head of Academy