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Dear Parents/Carers,

Following some comments from children and parents that the frequent use of the soap in school is irritating skin, we have purchased some E45 cream for the children to use.



What is the current situation?

The school will close on Friday for all children except those of 'key workers' and 'vulnerable children'.

Exams will not take place in May and June – I am making the assumption that this includes SATs.

There will be a national voucher system for children eligible for Free School Meals.

** Further information will be provided in tomorrow's update to parents. Including more information about what constitutes 'key workers'*

Home-learning packs for the children are being prepared today and will come home tomorrow, either through your children or by post if you are self-isolating.

Further materials can be downloaded from our [school website](#) and a list of websites can be found on our [Supporting Learning at Home](#) pages. Logon details for these websites will be coming home in the home-learning packs.

As I said yesterday, I would seek to minimise the amount of time your children spend in front of a screen completing these tasks. Encourage them to stay as active as possible and take advantage of the practical idea suggestions on our [school website](#) as well.

To lighten the mood, I stopped off at Tesco this morning to buy cakes for the staff, only to be told that I couldn't buy more than three packs of Mr Kipling's in case I was stockpiling them! The fact that they had a whole promotional display full of them seemed to slip the customer assistant by!

Yours sincerely,



James Tibbles,
Headteacher

