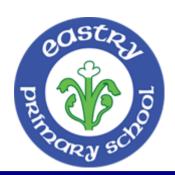
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Dear Parents and carers,

As you know we are in tier 3 in Kent. This means that no households should be mixing indoors or in private gardens unless part of a support bubble. Unfortunately, we have reports that a number of families are holding sleepovers, playdates and parties. This is currently against the government legislation. A number of concerned parents have approached me about these activities. This puts other children, families and the staff at risk. It requires all of us to be following the restrictions to curb the number of cases in the area and reduce the chance of spread within the school. I understand the frustrations this causes families and staff who are following the rules. I have included the restrictions for tier 3 below as a reminder. Please help us as a community by following these rules.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

Sarah Moss Headteacher

MEETING FRIENDS BARS, PUBS AND WORK AND RETAIL AND FAMILY RESTAURANTS BUSINESS No mixing of households indoors, Hospitality is closed, with the exception of sales by takeaway, drive-through or delivery. or most outdoor places, apart from support bubbles. Maximum of six Everyone who can work from home should do so. Open. in some outdoor public spaces (e.g. parks, public gardens). **INDOOR PERSONAL** ◍ 団 **EDUCATION** ACCOMMODATION 🚘 LEISURE CARE Early years settings, schools, colleges and universities open. Childcare, other supervised activities for children, and **Open.** Group activities and classes should not take place. Closed (with limited Open. exceptions) childcare bubbles permitted. **PLACES OF OVERNIGHT** WEDDINGS **ENTERTAINMENT STAYS** AND FUNERALS WORSHIP 15 guests for weddings, civil We advise against overnight stays other than with household or support bubble. Open, but cannot interact with partnerships and wakes; 30 for funerals. Wedding receptions anyone outside household or support bubble. Indoor venues closed. not permitted. RESIDENTIAL LARGE 0 **TRAVELLING EXERCISE** CARE **EVENTS** Avoid travelling outside your area, Classes and organised adult sport Events should not take place. COVID-secure arrangements such as other than where necessary such as for work or education. Further can take place outdoors, but people should avoid higher-risk contact substantial screens, visiting pods, and window visits. Outdoor/airtight Drive-in events permitted. as for work or education. Further exemptions apply. Reduce the number of journeys where possible. Plan ahead and avoid busy times and routes on public transport. Avoid car visits only (rollout of rapid testing will enable indoor visits including activity. Group exercise activities and sports indoors should not take place, unless with your household or bubble. Organised activities for elite contact). sharing with those outside of your household or support bubble. athletes, under-18s and disabled people can continue.