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Dear Parent/ Carer,

I am writing to share our initial plans in response to the nationwide lockdown that has been announced by the Prime Minister this evening. We are desperately sorry to see the school shut once again to all but our vulnerable children and the children of critical workers however, we recognise the need for swift and decisive action at this current time. The plans for tomorrow are below. I will write in more detail, when I have more time, tomorrow.

### Year 6

- **School will be closed to all Year 6 pupils tomorrow.**
- Remote learning, via Microsoft Teams, will start for Year 6 pupils on Wednesday morning. Pupils will follow their normal timetable. We will spend the day allocating devices as best we can to Year 6 families in preparation for remote learning.
- If you wish to book a place in our critical worker provision, [please complete the form here](#) by no later than **12 noon tomorrow**. Provision will start on Wednesday and pupils are expected to attend full-time. **We are unable to offer any part-time provision.**
- If you are an essential frontline worker and you need emergency childcare tomorrow, we can provide this from 8am. **You must bring your child to reception where we will register them.**
- Please see the end of this letter for activities pupils can complete tomorrow before remote lessons commence on Wednesday.

### Year 7 & 8

- **There are no changes to the plans for Year 7 & 8.**
- Provision for our vulnerable children and the children of critical worker provision will commence as planned tomorrow for those who have booked a place. Pupils should wear school uniform or their school PE kit. The school kitchen will be open.
- Remote lessons will commence from period 4 tomorrow – 1.35pm.

Can I thank you in advance for your patience and understanding as we put plans in place at very short notice.

Yours sincerely,

Mr C Taylor  
Headteacher



## **Year 6 Activities for Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January**

- MyMaths
- TT Rockstars
- Spelling Shed