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Dear Families,

Happy New Year to you all.

I hope you and your families are well and that you have had a restful break. I write to update you on our plans to return to school in January, following the latest government guidance and announcement from the Secretary of State for Education on the 30th December.

In line with the published government guidance, Monday the 4th of January will be a planning day, to facilitate the re-introduction of remote learning from Tuesday 5th January 2021. The INSET day has been postponed until further notice.

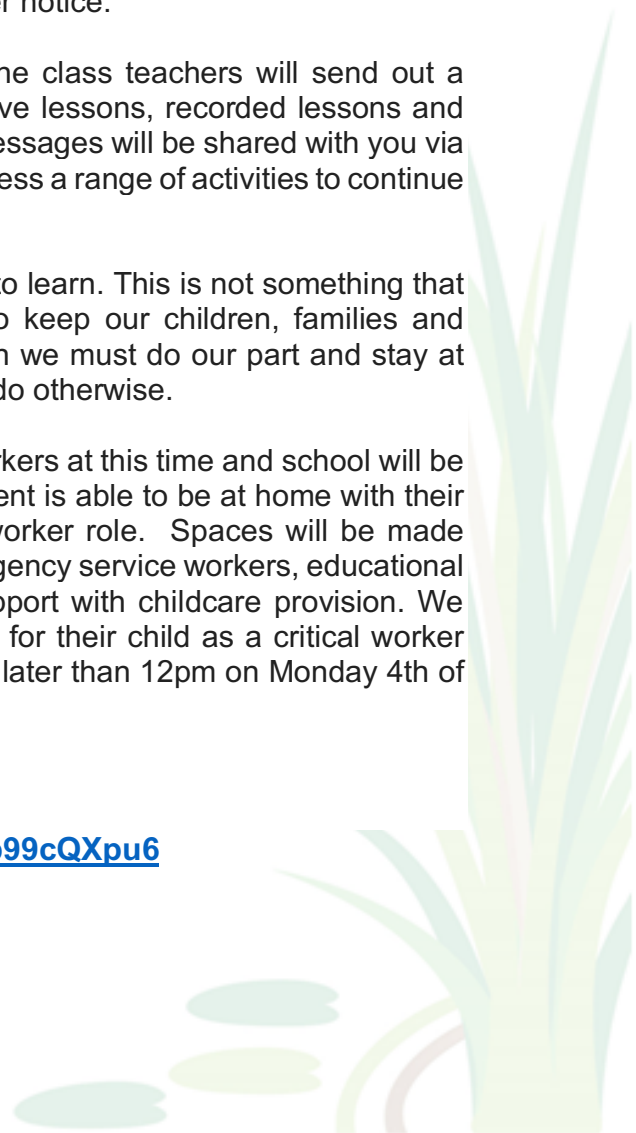
All pupils now have access to Google Classroom. The class teachers will send out a weekly timetable and a schedule that will consist of live lessons, recorded lessons and activities to do throughout the day and week. These messages will be shared with you via Purple Mash and Google classrooms. Children can access a range of activities to continue with their learning.

We all agree that school is the best place for children to learn. This is not something that we would have planned for at this time, however, to keep our children, families and community safe and to reduce the rate of the infection we must do our part and stay at home, follow the guidelines until we've been asked to do otherwise.

We also know how important it is to support critical workers at this time and school will be open for a small number of children where neither parent is able to be at home with their children during this period to carry out their critical worker role. Spaces will be made available for children whose parents are frontline emergency service workers, educational health care professionals and who need genuine support with childcare provision. We therefore ask, any parents who need to book a place for their child as a critical worker position, to complete and submit the attached form no later than 12pm on Monday 4th of January to request a place.

Please complete form to book a key worker place

<https://forms.gle/ErDVQY31p99cQXpu6>





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Once you have submitted the online form, a member of staff will be in touch, either by email or telephone to confirm your place has been agreed.

Please do contact the school office admin@rusheygreen.lewisham.sch.uk if you have any questions. We will do our very best to answer all queries.

Thank you for your support and patience during this time.

Yours faithfully,

Lisa Williams
Headteacher

