



COADS GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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19th March 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: Coronavirus update – school closure to most pupils

Following on from my previous update, I am now writing to you to let you know that **we have been instructed to close the school to almost all children after this Friday until further notice.**

As advised by the government, we will do what we can to stay open for the children of key workers. A separate email has been sent via Parentmail regarding this and I urge you to respond as quickly as possible. We will be contacting parents directly with further information about this. This may include provision through the Easter holidays, but we are awaiting further guidance.

All other children will need to stay at home, so we ask that you do not send your child into school from Monday onwards.

Please note this is a national closure – as you may have heard in the news – so while it is a challenging situation, we're not alone. We will re-open fully as soon as we can and will let you know when this is through Parentmail and Facebook pages. For those who use neither, direct contact will be made.

Your child's learning is of course important to us, so we'll continue to help your child to learn. A home learning pack has been prepared for every child and will go home tomorrow. Every class will have a Facebook page so that remote learning can take place. A list of on-line resources has also been recommended by the staff. An assembly was held this morning and we have outlined our expectations to the children; they should be learning between 2 and 3 hours a day.

You may also be aware that all testing has been cancelled for this year, so there will not be any SATs at Year 2 or 6, no multiplication checks at Year 4 and no phonic checks at Year 1.

Further decisions regarding events planned for the summer term will take place after the Easter holidays as we may have more information then.

If you want to get in touch regarding any of the above, please don't hesitate to do so through the school email address: coadsgreen@andaras.org

Please remember to look after yourselves and each other in these challenging circumstances.

Best wishes,
Claire

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