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Dear Parents/Carers,

In these difficult times we fully appreciate the balancing act of working and supporting your child at home. I am sure you will appreciate how the safety and education of you and your child/children is our utmost priority at this time.

What is clear from this week, is that the number of pupils eligible to attend school under the critical worker provision is much higher than during the first lockdown. To ensure all family's needs are met and the provision we provide is following the government guidance (updated Friday 8th January 2021) to keep everyone safe, we ask that your child only attends school if absolutely necessary and only for the time you are at work. The Department for Education acknowledges that parents/carers who are critical workers should keep their children at home if they can. The extremely rapid rate of transmission of the virus at the moment means that we must do everything we can to protect our school community: pupils, parents and staff alike.

Please let us know as soon as possible if your circumstances change. Should you have any questions or concerns please contact either the school office on 01709 512202 or your child's class teacher via the Class Dojo app.

Many thanks for your continued support. Please do stay safe and take care

Mrs L Ridge
Headteacher