



# Wordsworth Primary School

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Dear Parents,

## Re: National lockdown and school closures

I am writing to you regarding the instruction from the Prime Minister that all schools must close with immediate effect and move to remote learning.

On Wednesday, school will continue to be open from 8.40am-3.10pm for those children of critical workers, those who are supported by social workers and those with an EHCP as part of their SEN. **Your child will only be eligible to attend on the days you are actually at work.** The children in school will be supported to complete the home learning in a bubble of up to ten children supported by a Teaching Assistant. The most recent list of critical workers can be found via this link <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-maintaining-educational-provision/guidance-for-schools-colleges-and-local-authorities-on-maintaining-educational-provision>

**We are clearly in a very challenging time regarding the spread of the virus and I would ask all those entitled to a place to consider carefully whether you will need to take this place or whether you are able to support the National lockdown further by keeping your child at home for all or part of the week as many of you did during the March lockdown.**

Pupils who are not eligible for a critical worker or vulnerable pupil place will be able to access remote provision. This is exactly the same as the children in school will be getting and can be accessed by your child's Tapestry account. Please ensure this is active and your child is able to access the learning each day. Please let us know if you are having difficulties with this as soon as possible. Mrs Fay is on hand to support with access to Tapestry and can be contacted via email or phone to the office.

For those who are entitled to a free school meal you will be contacted as soon the government sets this up.

Please do not hesitate to contact the school should you need to.

Best wishes

Mrs Julie-Anne Palfrey  
Head Teacher

