



Thursday May 7th, 2020

Dear parents and carers,

As is the case in many communities across the country, London Colney has experienced the impact and reality of coronavirus. Sadly, we now know that a number of families within our school community have been directly affected by COVID-19. It remains a very difficult and uncertain time for all families, particularly for those dealing with worrying or traumatic personal experiences. We are thinking of you and wish you all safe, well or better soon.

School remains open, daily, to a small number of eligible children and we continue to follow government advice and guidelines to limit the spread of COVID-19 and keep staff, children and their families healthy and safe. Staff are working hard to reinforce basic hygiene precautions and practise social distancing when and wherever practical. We have also maintained a regular and thorough cleaning regime.

Thankfully, no members of staff or children attending school during the lockdown have tested positive for coronavirus. These would be the circumstances in which we would have to temporarily close to all children which would have a significant impact upon our critical key worker families. I would like to reassure parents that when we have been informed of households with confirmed cases of coronavirus, we have liaised directly with the Department for Education or Public Health England for advice, as well as with the families. The health and safety of all concerned is always of paramount importance.

Although many families currently feel so far away from Bowmansgreen, you are in our thoughts and we hope it will not be too long until your children can safely return to school.

Wishing you a healthy and safe bank holiday weekend.

Yours sincerely

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