



PARK HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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19 March, 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

As you will be aware, yesterday the Government issued a statement outlining that all schools are to close at the end of the week until further notice apart from for those children who are classed as: **vulnerable (they have a social worker), have an EHCP, or have parents who are classed as key workers (e.g. NHS staff, Police and others in frontline service) by the Government.** If your child fits any of the above categories and you will be sending them to school next week then please complete the attached form and contact the school either by telephone or email:

t. 02476 466669

e. adminstaff@parkhill.coventry.sch.uk

Clarification around the children who will be in school from next week (refer to the criteria above), is a priority and I would like parents to have informed the school before 3:30pm today please – 19 March 2020

If your child does not meet the above categories then please do not send them into school from Monday 23 March 2020 until further notice.

Outlined in this letter are the steps we have taken as a school to minimise the impact that this unprecedented action will have on your family.

Every child will have access to home learning through Learning Projects which will be found on the school website <https://parkhillprimaryschool.co.uk/> from tomorrow **20 March 2020.**

We have tried to make these projects as user friendly as we can. We will be creating more learning projects over time so please rest assured that we will develop resources further. We strongly urge you to ensure that your child does a minimum of 2-3 hours of learning a day Monday to Friday. At times of stress and uncertainty, children benefit most from stability and so regular daily learning, 5 days a week, will help our children remain calm.

If your child is entitled to Free School Meals (outside of the free meal scheme for 4-7 year olds) then please rest assured that we are liaising closely with our catering providers, the DFE and Government to provide you with support. We will be in touch with you as soon as we have further information with specific details. If you have any concerns then please contact the school office email address adminstaff@parkhill.coventry.sch.uk

As we enter this period of enforced shutdown, please know that every single child, every single family and every single member of our community is in our thoughts. We are proud of our school and our community and we know that we will come through this period as a nation and return to normality when this virus has passed. We encourage you to follow NHS111 online advice and above all else, stay safe and know that we are thinking about you.

Kind regards



Mr Griffin
Headteacher
Park Hill Primary School