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Dear Parents & Carers

UPDATE – Coronavirus

I just wanted to update with the current situation at school. It is exceptionally busy and staff are covering for those in isolation or unable to come to school as they are defined as vulnerable. Due to this, things may take a little longer and we would really appreciate it if you could bear with us. We will not be producing school newsletters at North Cockerington or East Wold until further notice.

I would like to reassure you that we are keeping up with all guidance and are fully following all the government and Local Authority guidance. Due to staff shortages some changes in operations have been necessary, and I am sure this will continue to change daily.

Unfortunately, we have no hot lunches available in school today or tomorrow. Parents will be reimbursed for these days. Hot lunches will resume on Friday.

Following the government's guidance, we have contacted parents where we think children may be deemed as vulnerable. However, if you feel that your child meets this category, and we have not contacted you, please let us know. We aim to support everyone at this difficult time. All our staff, in this category are working from home and we are committed to ensuring that everyone is as safe as possible. To this end, **it is essential that if anyone in your household develops a new, continuous cough or fever, that all members of the family should self-isolate for 14 days.** If this is the case, please ensure the children are collected as soon as possible by phoning ahead, letting us know you are coming and we will bring the children out to you.

The **class pages** on the web-site will be updated with work for the children which will be specific to their year group. Under the **curriculum section** on our website, you will find details of the current topic overview and knowledge organiser for this term. Children should know all elements of the knowledge organiser and learning this would be a good start to make. Until further learning is updated on the class pages (which will take a little time to do whilst our teachers are still in school teaching), please click our **new home learning page**. There are lots of suggestions on this page.



Within school, children continue to practise safe hand washing regularly. We are not having any visitors on to the school site until further notice with the exception of those to meet statutory obligations. Full school collective worship has been replaced by class worship. We have introduced staggered playtime/lunch arrangements where appropriate. Cleaning regimes are enhanced and windows are open to increase ventilation.

Our Senior Leadership Team is meeting (virtually) after school to discuss home learning developments so that we have a consistent approach across both schools. Travel between sites is being avoided.

Once again, I would like to thank you all for your support.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'BDhami'.

Becky Dhami
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