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Dear Parents,

Coronavirus – COVID-19 - Key Workers

At the time of writing, we are still waiting for a definitive definition of what constitutes a key worker.

However, if you consider yourself to be a 'key worker' (as defined below) and need child care cover in order for you to carry out your duties, please could you email and let me know by midday tomorrow. Thank you.

Key Workers *

- **NHS Staff**
- **Teachers/TA's**
- **Emergency Services**
- **Social Workers**
- **Care Workers**
- **Those involved in supply chains (e.g. delivery drivers, supermarket workers)**

(*awaiting details)

The government has decided to close schools to try and minimise the transmission and spread of the virus. As a school community, we are dedicated to supporting children and families who are working to keep things 'moving' during this difficult period. If you fall into the Key Worker category, we ask that you only send your child into school if you are 'working' and need child care cover during that period. Again, this is to minimise the number of children being together at any one time (and therefore adults) so we can try and reduce the risk of transmission.

I would again like to thank you for your support during this difficult period.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to me.

With kind regards,

Mrs Bilner

Headteacher