



Edgewood Primary School

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Arrangements for Tuesday 5th January

You will have seen from Mr Johnson's announcement tonight that all schools are to close for most pupils effective immediately.

With the ridiculously late timing of this announcement we have not been able to organise Key Worker provision or full online learning for pupils tomorrow. Some online learning may be added through the day tomorrow if teachers are able to upload it but the full provision will begin on Wednesday, 6th January.

Key Worker Provision, to the government's new criteria, is planned to begin on Wednesday 6th January. We will communicate with all parents regarding this tomorrow.

For tomorrow school is closed to all pupils

The only exceptions are the children of **critical emergency service workers** who cannot make other, safer arrangements. They do not need to wear uniform and will need to stick to their already selected and booked dinner option (cooked or packed lunch).

This means:

- **NHS staff (including ambulance services)**
- **Police**
- **Fire**
- **Armed Forces**

No other pupils should attend school tomorrow.

For those pupils only YMCA will be running before and after school club.

School times for each class will be the usual staggered start and end times and children will enter and leave through the usual gates.

Let me repeat, if you are a critical, emergency worker and you **can** keep your child off school tomorrow you should please do so.

I am sorry for this immense inconvenience the timing and nature of this announcement will have caused to so many of you.

Yours faithfully,

Mr Seeley

Headteacher.