



Kentish Town Church of England Primary School

(St. Benet & All Saints)

Tuesday 17th March 2020

Dear Parents & Carers,

Headteacher - James Humphries

Given the update from the government yesterday related to social distancing measures and increased self-isolation guidance, I am writing to keep you up to date with the school's current position.

We currently remain open in line with the national guidance. We are also taking additional measures to reduce any possibility of transmission of Covid-19.

Additional actions we are taking at school are:

- Stopping whole school worship and making it class based
- Rescheduling or postponing any trips, visits, visitors or events
- Stopping swimming and sporting lessons
- Cancelling some clubs e.g. Chess Club and Maths Tutors from UCS
- Asking our cleaners to concentrate on specific areas within the school.

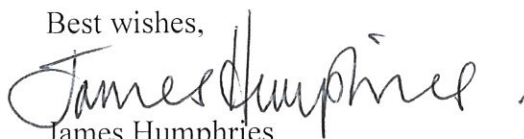
You may notice that some staff and some pupils are absent from school. This is because we are all following government advice and staying away from school if any staff member or pupil has a cough or a high temperature. This doesn't mean they have Covid -19, it simply means that we are following government guidance to ensure the school community is as safe as possible in the current situation. If you or anyone in your home has these symptoms the current guidance is for you to stay in your home for 14 days.

Myself and the leadership team are in constant contact to ensure that the school is open, operational and safe, as per the national guidance. This includes ensuring that our governing body are informed and updated with regards to the changing situation.

As we remain open, we welcome any pupil, who is currently fit and well, into school, continuing our work to support our community. When, and if, school closures happen this will be the point at which we will share 'home learning' activities via our school blog and website.

Thank you very much for your continued support.

Best wishes,


James Humphries
Headteacher

