

The Humberston Church of England Primary School



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Dear Key Workers

Thank you for all of your support in these unprecedented and worrying times.

During our school closure and in order to keep everyone safe we will be following Government guidelines.

- Parents will be asked not to come inside school and keep a 2 metre distance away from staff
- School will be operating during closure with a skeleton staff in order to keep your families and our staff and their families safe.
- Please only use school in its capacity as a childcare base as a last resort and for the minimum time you need. The Government advise to keep everyone safe even key workers need to keep children at home as much as possible.
- We will endeavour to follow Government guidelines on social distancing during the day but as you can imagine it will be very difficult to keep the children 2 metres apart during their time at school but whenever possible we will.

We ask that from your own homes please can you:

- Check the website daily for any updates
- If you need to contact school, please do so via email at office@hcep.co.uk
- Comply with Government guidance with regard to staying at home and not socialising with other children – please see below the Government's measures for social distancing.

What is social distancing?

Social distancing measures are steps you can take to reduce social interaction between people. This will help reduce the transmission of coronavirus (COVID-19).

They are to:

- 1. Avoid contact with someone who is displaying symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19). These symptoms include high temperature and/or new and continuous cough***
- 2. Avoid non-essential use of public transport when possible***
- 3. Work from home, where possible. Your employer should support you to do this. Please refer to [employer guidance](#) for more information***



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4. ***Avoid large and small gatherings in public spaces, noting that pubs, restaurants, leisure centres and similar venues are currently shut as infections spread easily in closed spaces where people gather together.***
5. ***Avoid gatherings with friends and family. Keep in touch using remote technology such as phone, internet, and social media***
6. ***Use telephone or online services to contact your GP or other essential services***

Everyone should be trying to follow these measures as much as is practicable.

School Meals

For the remainder of this week Chartwell's will be providing a pack lunch meal for all those children who had chosen a school meal for this week. From week commencing 30th March 2020 children attending school during the closure will need to bring with them a pack lunch from home.

Yours sincerely

J Everitt

Mrs J Everitt
Executive Head Teacher



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