

Raysfield Infant School

Raysfield Junior School

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## COVID-19 (coronavirus) update

Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to firstly reassure you Raysfield still remains a safe and caring environment for your children to come to school today and tomorrow.

In light of the Government announcement yesterday, we will be closing from Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March at 3:20. At present we believe the Government will require us to open the school for **key workers'** children. We expect to know who key workers' children are by Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March.

We understand that all this uncertainty will cause a rise in anxiety for you all. However, we want to reassure you we are doing all we can to find out how we can support our community during this time.

Home learning resources are being created and I am sure you have seen that other industries such as the BBC are putting together educational resources to support children being at home. Please rest assured we will continue to keep you updated with information regarding the expectations for home learning and communication from our school.

With regards to pupils who receive **Free School Meals**, we are determined to support with meals and so are currently looking at ways of achieving this with our catering company.

Thank you again for your continued support.

Very best wishes

Mrs Claire Hill