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Dear Parents/Carers,

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Re: Coronavirus Update – Easter Holidays

Successfully, we have provided childcare for the children of our key worker parents over the past week. We are pleased to inform you that we are able to continue childcare for the Easter holidays. However, this is going to be slightly different as we will be needing to make further reductions in staffing to ensure they remain protected. With lower staff numbers, we therefore request that you only book your child in using the online system if you fit into the following criteria and have no other possible option for your child to be looked after. As the Government continues to state, "If your child can be looked after at home, then they should be."

We are now prioritising the following:

- The children of parents who are both key workers,
- The children of parents where one parent is a key worker in the NHS,
- The children of a single parent key worker

Please note if any parent is not at work, even if they are a key worker, they should be looking after their own child.

These changes will begin from **Thursday 2nd April**.

We will now be open from **9:00AM to 3:00PM** each day. Booking will be available online via a texted link as normal.

As our kitchen staff will not be in school, we will not be able to provide packed lunches, so pupils will need to arrive with one provided from home. Ensure your child has a water bottle each day they are in.

Please remember that the school will be closed for Good Friday 10th April and for Easter Monday 13th April, so ensure you have made other arrangements for your childcare.

Exemplary behaviour remains expected from all due to maintaining a calm, relaxed and safe environment. Any unable to meet these expectations will be sent home.

We will endeavour to make the days as fun and enjoyable as possible for your child while they are in with us.

Thank you for your continued understanding and patience.

Yours sincerely,

Bradley Young

Headteacher

