

Dear Parents and Carers,

At this time of unprecedented uncertainty, I urge you all to communicate with each other as friends, or members of our school community, as well as with us.

Communication is a two-way process, but I feel as if, right now, the staff team is working incredibly hard to communicate with you all – as always – and yet, as this morning's round of complaints, sheer rudeness and challenge (by some) demonstrates, we still aren't able to get it right. This is no longer acceptable to us – we need to work together, alongside each other, for your children.

Last Friday we sent home a letter detailing all updates to you – and hard copies were placed in the Front Office for those of you who either aren't able to or won't receive emails. This was also placed on the website, on Facebook and on Twitter – a total of 5 possible options for you.

This is sent again, here, with two major changes. Further copies are available at the Front Office also.

1. **Disappointingly, tonight's parent/carer consultations which we planned to hold over the 'phone will NOT now take place.** We are still waiting for a response from the telecoms company as to how to enable all our 'phones to make calls to you. We will, of course, as soon as the current situation has settled down, plan for these to take place.
2. **Self-isolation is now for 14 days, and includes all family members in the same household.**

In the meantime, please assume that our school day, Breakfast Club, After-School Clubs, Booster Groups and Saturday School sessions shall all continue until we inform you otherwise.

All other meetings, trips, visits, visitors, concerts, tournaments and Year 3 Swimming Lessons and anything that involves groups of others is either postponed or cancelled.

If you have any questions, please ask.

Kind regards,

Simon A Wood