

Wednesday 18th 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

Yealmpton Primary School and Holbeton Primary School

Thank you so much for your understanding and support in these extraordinary circumstances. Whilst the government directive is for educational establishments to stay open we at the Trust will do everything within our resources to facilitate this. As time passes this is becoming more and more challenging so by combining our sister schools we have been able to carry on providing an educational provision to the families of both schools when both schools are under pressure due to staff shortages including teaching and cleaning staff.

Although we are offering this provision we completely understand and support families who would prefer to keep their children at home due a variety of health reasons. Please inform us if this is your decision and rest assured that these absences will be coded as an authorised absence.

We are in the process of preparing further communication on how children can access educational opportunities whilst at home.

The national situation is changing hour by hour. Both schools will work together to continue following government and public health recommendations closely and we will endeavour to keep you fully informed as the situation evolves.

We would like to thank you for your understanding and co-operation at this difficult time.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Rundle and Ms Young, Headteachers

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