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Dear Parent/Carer

### Coronavirus (COVID-19)

As coronavirus (also known as COVID-19) continues to spread, and we enter our third lockdown, we would like to once again clarify how we are responding to the global health crisis, and the steps that we can all take to reduce the spread of coronavirus, while continuing to run school for a reduced capacity of pupils.

### What you can do to reduce infections spreading

You should encourage your children to wash their hands often and thoroughly with soap and water. In particular, after going to the toilet and before eating or handling food. In addition, please ensure that your child:

- Covers their mouth and nose with a tissue or sleeve (not hands) when they cough or sneeze;
- Puts any used tissues in the bin straightaway and washes their hands immediately after handling used tissues;
- Tries to avoid touching their eyes, nose or mouth if they have not washed their hands recently;
- Tries to avoid close contact with people who are unwell;
- Follows the 'Hands, Face & Space' and 'Stay at Home' Government message.

### Remote Learning

Following the announcement yesterday, Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January, that school is closed to your child/ren, their learning will move to online teaching (from tomorrow Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> January), which can be located via 'Evidence Me' and our school website: <http://chancelprimary.co.uk/> following the pathway:

- **Our School**
- **About Our School**
- **Home Learning**

In order that children can record their learning, home packs are available to collect from school tomorrow, Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> January, as follows:

Year Group	Collection Time
Reception	9.15 to 9.45am
Nursery	10.00 to 10.30am

With the planned rollout of the vaccinations, we are hoping that it won't be too long before we can all be back together again, as a whole-school community.

Keep yourself and your loved ones safe.

*T Blankley*

Mrs T Blankley

**HEADTEACHER**

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