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Dear Parents

Here we are again! I hope you are keeping your spirits up as we all navigate and familiarise ourselves with the new and changing information

Robert Blair school had decided to close for the first two weeks of term and I was pleased to see the government quickly follow suit. Since then they have reviewed that decision and decided, due to the recent alarming health information, to close schools until the February Half term at the earliest.

Today the Prime Minister stated that schools would be the first to open but this may not be until March. We will continue to update you as we receive new and confirmed information. Robert Blair has an inset day scheduled for 22 February meaning the earliest possible start date for children would be Tuesday 23 February.

We remain hopeful we will all find ourselves in a better place soon where it will be safe for us all to return to school. The new strain of the virus is far more transmissible and it is important that everybody follows the rules to keep themselves and others safe.

Our teachers are working hard to continue to offer all our children regular access to the curriculum and support enriched learning. Please continue to support your child with a regular routine by ensuring they are attending any daily registration session set and engaging fully with their online learning. This includes attending any group or individual session as requested. If you are having difficulty accessing these the class teachers and learning support staff are there to support you.

If we have not seen you on our digital platforms teachers and support staff will phone you to see how we can help. If you are having a problem, and have not yet received a call, you will be contacted by the end of day tomorrow at the latest.

If you have a child in Nursery, Reception or the Children's Centre, activities will be set on Tapestry as usual.



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Meanwhile please phone the school office if we can help in any way at all. Office hours will be between 9 and 3.30pm until the February half term.

We will keep in touch with more information as is appropriate.

Stay safe & best wishes

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'M. Bahn', is displayed on a light yellow rectangular background.

Michelle Bahn
Headteacher