



Through God's love, we learn, aspire and achieve; we flourish.

## Christ Church CE Primary School

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Let us love one another,  
because love comes from  
God and knows God.  
*1 John 4:7*

Your heart will become  
wise. Your mind will delight  
in knowledge.  
*Proverbs 2:10*

I have come so that they  
may have life and have it to  
the full.  
*John 10:10*

20<sup>th</sup> March 2020

Dear Parents

It is with great sadness that we will be shutting today at 3.30pm. We will re-open on Monday to provide care for children of keyworkers. Thank you if you have sent in your keyworker school provision form, and if you haven't yet done so, *please e-mail it by 1.30pm today.*

Please click on link for the Government information for parents and carers regarding the closure of educational settings. [https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/closure-of-educational-settings-information-for-parents-and-carers?utm\\_source=3af9bd53-8b24-49d0-92be-34d607ef773a&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm\\_content=immediate](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/closure-of-educational-settings-information-for-parents-and-carers?utm_source=3af9bd53-8b24-49d0-92be-34d607ef773a&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=immediate)

Please note there is no requirement for parents and carers to send children to school if they do not need or wish to. Children are safest at home with their families and the Government is clear "*if it is at all possible for children to be at home then they should be*", we are offering this service to support keyworkers in providing emergency services.

The children attending will be completing the work set on-line by their class teacher and the rest of the time will be cared for, not educated. It is important for us to keep the numbers as low as possible in order to continue this provision at Christ Church. It may be that the school joins with other schools to provide a hub and we will notify you of this.

We understand that some parents may not know the exact dates that emergency childcare provision is required, due to shift patterns etc. and ask that, if this is the case, you e-mail [head@christchurch.barnetmail.net](mailto:head@christchurch.barnetmail.net) should you be required to work and we will inform you of the care that is available at the time.

We are **not** able to offer Breakfast Club or After School Club hours at Christ Church, but this may be available in other schools in the Borough, should the provision move to a hub.

We will continue to regularly update you during this difficult time and remind you that Christ Church is more than its building. Please stay safe and, God willing, we will be back soon.

Yours sincerely

Mrs E Print  
Head Teacher

