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Dear Parents/Carers,

As you will be aware, the Government has issued additional advice to the UK regarding the current COVID-19 outbreak. All people displaying the symptoms of Coronavirus (continuous/persistent new cough and/or a temperature in excess of 37.8°) should self-isolate along with their entire household for a period of 14 days. They should avoid social contact such as going to the shops during this period. It is a parent's decision whether their child needs to stay at home; please specify the reason for the absence, whether you are self-isolating or your child has another reason and report this absence in the usual way by calling the office on 01263 761264.

As part of the drive to reduce unnecessary social gatherings we have:

- Cancelled this week's Parents' evenings. Written summary sheets will be provided for each child with the invitation to speak to your child's Class Teacher if required;
- Cancelled Mother's Day Afternoon Tea on Friday 20th March (the shop will go ahead as normal);
- Cancelled Class 5's assembly to parents, along with future planned parent assemblies;
- Made the decision that for the foreseeable future parents/carers will not be able to access school from 8:30am to read with their children in the Learning Street. The bell will ring at 9am on the playground for children to enter school. A member of staff will be outside from 8:45am. If you are able to 'Stop & Drop' that would be appreciated;
- Cancelled Wednesday Group Reading for volunteers;
- Restricted adult visits to the school where appropriate.

Please be advised that Family Learning Day on Tuesday 31st March has also been cancelled, along with the Aylsham Cluster Trust's Spa event at Blickling on Saturday 25th April.

We will of course continue to keep you updated on developments as the situation changes. In the meantime, should your child be at home please look at the school website where Class Teachers have shared possible home learning activities which are linked to current class topics. These also include web links that may be helpful.

Should you wish to discuss the situation further then please don't hesitate to call or email the school. This afternoon I am attending a meeting with Head Teachers in the Aylsham Trust to discuss the situation to ensure that all schools are working together to support each other where possible.

Best wishes,
Mrs Alison Read

