

ST CHAD'S PATCHWAY CE VC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Tuesday 5th January 2021

Re: Requesting a place for Keyworker and Vulnerable Children – Urgent response required

Dear Parents/Carers,

Once again, I apologise for the late communication last night. I am sure that none of us want to be in this situation again but very sadly, this is where we find ourselves to ensure that our community stays safe.

The main purpose of the school closure is to limit the possibility of transmitting the virus across the country and locally. Therefore the guidance relating to the list of critical/key worker parents has been published by the government to ensure those that are required to help fight the virus and keep vital services maintained can keep doing their tremendous work for us all.

The list of children whose parents can be classed as key workers has been updated for schools. Please follow the link to this guidance:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-maintaining-educational-provision/guidance-for-schools-colleges-and-local-authorities-on-maintaining-educational-provision>.

For keyworkers, we will require a form of identification as proof of being a keyworker (ideally, a letter from your employer or ID badge).

As with the previous lockdown, school places are for keyworkers who have an essential requirement and no other option as once again, we are in a position where we need to do everything we can to reduce the spread of this virus. Children with an Educational Health Care Plan (EHCP) and children with a social worker will also be able to attend school from Wednesday.

I request that you return your response to admin@stchadsprimaryschool.co.uk by **12 o'clock midday today at the latest**. We will then be able to organise the groupings according to numbers and notify you of the plan for tomorrow.





Once the list and groups are sorted, we will dojo information to each parent informing them of the timings of the school day, class groupings and what the children will need to bring into school.

Kind regards,
Steph Jenkins

From to complete and send back by midday today

Name of pupil(s) for whom you are requesting places			
Current class(es)			
Name of parent(s)			
Email address of parent(s)			
Occupation of parents			
Mother			
Father			
Days required for school places (please highlight as appropriate)	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
	Thursday		Friday
Details of who will bring and collect child(ren) from school on a daily basis			
Indication, if available, whether you intend to take up hot school meals option (for kitchen planning use) or if you would like a packed lunch provided if that is available.			

Please return to school via email to admin@stchadsprimaryschool.co.uk by 12 o'clock midday on Tuesday 5th January 2021.
Please put 'Keyworker Request' as the subject of the email.

