

St. Columba's Catholic Primary School

Every Person is Precious to God



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Dear Parents and Carers,

Following a suspected case of coronavirus in school, it is with regret that we are closing school from this afternoon - Wednesday 18th March until further notice. This decision has been made in collaboration with Public Health England, Bradford Council and the Governing body.

As you can appreciate, we anticipated that this might happen and had already begun to put measures in place to continue to teach in the event of school closure. You will have received a learning pack created by your child's teacher. If you have not collected one from school, we will inform you when school has had a deep clean, about how you can access the pack.

Communication Lines:

- School will continue with text and email as normal
- Safeguarding – any safeguarding concerns can be sent via email
- Any questions from parents can come via admin@stcolumbas.bradford.sch.uk and these will be passed to relevant staff and responded to asap
- Each week, the teachers will update the class homework page on the website. This will have messages from the teacher, links to learning websites and other information. You can send photos of your children to admin if you would like these to appear on your child's class page.

I would urge all parents to keep in touch with school and we will continue to keep in touch with all our families. I know these are worrying and changing times. It is essential that we remain positive and continue to work together for our school community.

I will continue to give you the latest updates.

Yours sincerely

Mrs S Tolson
Acting Headteacher

