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Dear Parents and Guardians

I would like to update you in light of new government advice issued yesterday.

As you know, the government has decided that schools should remain open. However, as, this is a dynamic and changing environment we are planning in case we are instructed by the government to close or have to close (or partially close) due to staff illness. We are developing and expanding our ICT provision and will be training pupils and staff to use some of the new or additional resources, just in case. If we need to close or partially close we will give you as much notice as we possibly can. We will notify you via text, website and through the Norfolk Schools' Closure website.

Government advice is that if people develop a new continuous cough and/or temperature they should isolate themselves for 7 days after the onset of the symptoms. You can read the guidance [here](#). We would ask you to please heed this advice and so protect our community and avoid potentially spreading the virus. During the 7 day isolation period we would ask you to support your children to keep up to date, as far as possible, with their homework via Class Charts and use our other online learning resources. We would also ask you to encourage them to read.

Please, can I also ask you to review your holiday plans and notify us of plans to travel abroad. If you travel to a country against government advice we will expect you to ensure that your child is isolated on return.

We are at present looking into the full implications of the government advice that trips abroad should be cancelled and we will notify you directly if your child is due to travel abroad with the school.

We will use our school website and email to keep you up to date with any new information.

Yours faithfully

Ms A L Mobbs
Principal