## HEACHAM INFANT AND JUNIOR, SNETTISHAM PRIMARY CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) UPDATE SUNDAY 22nd MARCH 2020



Dear Parents and Carers,

## **RE: School Information for Critical Workers**

Thank you for responding to our communication over the weekend, it is very much appreciated as it lets me know how best I can staff the school safely.

You have indicated that you would like your child/ren to attend the provision that we have on offer to support critical workers and vulnerable children. I wholeheartedly support the work that you do to keep the country going in these challenging times and hope that our provision will help you focus on your efforts.

The curriculum has been suspended and will resume once all children are back in school. To that end, children who attend school during this period will take part in activities that children at home can also access. This will be daily online learning in English and Maths with the addition of project, gardening, art and outdoor activities.

Wherever possible, we will try to limit interaction between children. We will run classes as small as possible and have separate break and lunch times with EYFS/KS1 and KS2. During these times children will get a free hot lunch, of course if you wish your child to have a packed lunch from home then you should still send that in. The food provision at lunch will be a selection, you will not need to book.

You should send your child/ren to school with a full water bottle as we have isolated the water fountains. I would also request that you send your child in with an outdoor kit as we will be increasing outdoor provision.

Please be advised that children will need to wear their school uniform every day with the exception of Friday where this will be a 'dress down' day.

The current thinking is that we should be able to offer this provision over Easter, I should be able to confirm this by the end of the week.

Thank you for your continued support,

Ms Louise Jackson
Executive Headteacher