## Learning for Life!

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LONSDALE

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Dear Parent and Carers,

I know that we are all thinking about and planning for changes to our everyday lives in the light of the Coronavirus pandemic.

Here at Lonsdale we have prepared for several possible scenarios, to ensure that your children and our staff stay safe. For the moment, we continue to follow Public Health England and Hertfordshire County Council advice which is to keep our school open until further notice.

However, depending on how things develop locally and nationally, we may be asked to change how we arrange our teaching and learning. This could involve online working and our staff team is well prepared for this possibility.

I will keep you in close touch with whatever happens in the coming days. As you know we are living through unprecedented events to which we need to respond at short notice.

In the meantime you can access reliable and up to date information via the government links:

https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-information-for-the-public

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/public-health-england

https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/

Of course, we are here to help and take your calls or enquires at any time during the school day.

Having a family myself, I appreciate how unsettling this all is, but I'm sure we will get through it and that the Lonsdale community will continue to flourish.

Look after yourselves, your family and friends.

Warmest wishes

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