

School Update Letter 4

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2020

Dear Parents and Carers of Ecclesall Primary School children,

Thank you to everyone who has promptly responded to our survey. We currently have 156 children who are requesting a child care place from next week. These children have at least one parent who is a key worker or they have been identified as a vulnerable child.

PLEASE could you let us know immediately (via email to [enquiries@ecclesall.sheffield.sch.uk](mailto:enquiries@ecclesall.sheffield.sch.uk)) if you have managed to organise other child care arrangements since completing the survey and now no longer need a place.

Please can we remind you that we cannot offer a place to any child with underlying health conditions such as asthma as they are considered as high risk. It is very difficult to follow the government guidance of “social distancing” at school as we are sure you appreciate. We have a significant number of staff who have underlying health issues themselves who have either finished work or will be doing so today.

If you are a teacher, please consider whether your child could be a “Guest” child in your own school.

We are now having to make very difficult decisions about who is prioritised a place. We will try our best to inform parents/carers later on today of our decisions.

Kind Regards

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