Monday 9th November 2020

Dear Parents / Carers

As you are all aware we have had two positive cases in school confirmed last week. In response to this we are trying to tighten the ‘bubbles’ and minimise contact with different groups across the school. However, we are also seeing an increase in staff having to stay at home to look after their own children who have been sent home in a ‘bubble’ from their own schools. Obviously, as always our staff do their best to remain in school but you will appreciate that this is not always possible.

We have been trying to maintain the curriculum as much as we can. However, as staffing tightens we are not always able to deliver the curriculum areas which need high staffing ratios. We will endeavour to keep running swimming in the school pool but this may not be as often as originally timetabled. Please do bear with us on this, we recognise how important swimming and hydrotherapy are for many of our pupils but if we cannot staff the sessions safely then we do have to cancel. However, we will always endeavour to maintain the physio programme in the classroom.

We are continuing to allow local trips out into the community on foot and we are seeking clarification on trips further afield to the beach or to parks using the minibuses.

As you all are aware decisions are being made and revised constantly. As ever we are dealing with an ever changing situation and we will endeavour to keep you all informed of any further changes we may have to implement.

Thank you all for your continued support.

Take care and keep safe.



Gail Lawton

Headteacher