



NORBRIGGS PRIMARY SCHOOL
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Sunday 3rd January 2021

Dear Parents / Carers,

I regret to inform you that Norbriggs Primary School will only be open to children whose parents are classed as keyworkers and children who are classed as vulnerable from Monday 4th January 2021.

We will review this decision on Thursday 7th January when updated data on Covid infections for our area is released.

I sincerely apologise for any inconvenience this will cause.

If you are unsure whether your child is eligible to attend school please email me headteacher@norbriggs.derbyshire.sch.uk or contact school tomorrow.

For children attending school please drop them off and pick them up as per our normal arrangements.

I have been in talks with staff, some parents, unions and the Local Authority. The unions unanimously state that it is not safe for staff to teach full classes as it would not be possible to maintain social distancing with these numbers. Therefore they are advising staff, under Health and Safety legislation, to inform me that they will not teach in full classes.

To ensure the safety of all we intend to reduce numbers in each class to allow social distancing to be maintained. Bubbles will remain separated both inside and outside at all times of the day.

Teachers will teach the children in school and Teaching Assistants will organise remote learning challenges to ensure that all children have access to lessons whether they are at home or at school.

Thank you for your understanding, support and patience.

P. Scragg
Head Teacher

