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Dear Parents and Carers

Provision for parents of key workers

I'm sure you are aware of the recent announcement from the Prime Minister, Boris Johnson, that all UK schools must close to slow the spread of Coronavirus, except in the instance of vulnerable children and children of key workers; who will still be allocated a school space during this time of uncertainty. Families with vulnerable children have already been contacted and we need to now establish how many of you have children entitled to a place, owing to the fact you are a key worker. The list of jobs defined as key workers are included in the table below.

We want to reassure you, that in light of these changes, our staff have been working hard behind the scenes to devise a plan to ensure the school is prepared to take care of these students.

If you believe that you are a key worker and that your child(ren) should still be coming into school, please return the slip below by Monday 9am, or email us as soon as possible at enquiries@mabelprichard.org, so we can check we have appropriate staffing levels. We will presume your job role **does not** fall into any key worker category if you do not contact us and we will not allocate a place for your child.

For your reference, if one parent is a key worker, the government will expect the other parent to have their child(ren) at home. Single parents who are key workers will be entitled to a school place during this period.

As soon as we have an official date to re-open, we will communicate this with you via email and the school website. Until then, we would like to offer our very best wishes,



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hopes that everyone remains safe, and that anybody affected by this unprecedented virus makes a speedy recovery.
Take care all.



Lucy Wawrzyniak
Head Teacher

Child(ren)'s
name(s): _____

Parent/carers' name: _____

Primary contact number: _____

Please tick in the table below which key worker role(s) are applicable to your child(ren)'s primary carers:

National Health Service	Armed forces	Teachers, TAs or childcare staff	Care home workers
Police officers	Prison officer	Firefighters	Local authority planners
Highway Agency	Delivery drivers	Environmental health officers	Social Workers