

Victoria Primary School & Nursery Unit

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VICTORIA PRIMARY COVID-19 CONTINGENCY PLAN

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS (3rd Letter)

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT, AT THE TIME THIS LETTER WENT TO PRINT, SCHOOL REMAINS OPEN

Dear Parents and Carers,

Please share this across our school community.

You will have heard news over the weekend that the First Minister, Arlene Foster, has said that schools will close at some point in the near future and may close for a period of at least 16 weeks. It is very clear that we are now in very stark unchartered territory. As promised, I will endeavour to keep you all updated as soon as I have any information to share.

From a school's perspective, we will be continuing to prepare for a school closure.

The school's senior leadership team will meet tomorrow morning from 8am to discuss further plans. By lunchtime tomorrow we will have devised a Frequently Asked Questions sheet that we will upload to the school website and send to parents via the app. We will continue to add to this list as the days pass.

If there is a question you would like to ask and that we could add to our frequently asked list, please follow the instructions below:

- 1) On your computer, phone or tablet, go to www.sli.do
- 2) Enter the following event code: VictoriaFAQ
- 3) Simply ask the question and we will endeavour to answer it.

From tomorrow onwards (Monday 16th March) the following will apply:

- All after school clubs and lunchtime clubs will be cancelled.
- Breakfast Club and Kids' Cave will operate as normal. Please be advised that they may close at some point in the near future.
- There will be no swimming for any classes until further notice.
- Parents are requested not to enter the school building.
- Nursery Stay and Play has been cancelled we will rearrange.
- Music tuition will not take place for the foreseeable future.

Thanks for your continued understanding.

Mr C. Fulton Principal