



**Woodberry Down Community Primary School**

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Tuesday 15th December 2020

Dear Woodberry Down Families,

**Re: Christmas Holiday Period**

As you will be aware, it was announced this afternoon that London has been moved into the VERY HIGH ALERT Tier 3 category due to the increasing number of COVID19 cases in the capital. At this level, schools must remain open. We strongly believe that remaining open is in the best interest of the children and that school is essential to all of our pupils.

With this in mind, I wanted to remind you of the telephone number you can contact us on during the first few days of the Christmas break. Should your child become COVID symptomatic during the first few days of the holiday and test positive for the virus, we ask that you inform us on **07983 442 179**. This will allow us to inform those members of staff and other pupils who might have come into contact with that person, to isolate. The isolation period has been reduced to 10 days. Please note that any test and trace isolation rules will remain in place during the Christmas period despite the relaxing of the restrictions between 23rd and 27th December. We advise that you follow government regulations at all times.

We have created a tab on the school website with some further information regarding local restrictions. We will update this section with booklets and other information related to COVID19 for any bubble closures.

As we have previously advertised, school finishes for the Christmas break on **Friday 18th December**. We will be closing slightly earlier on this day and ask that you collect your child at the times listed below:

**1.30pm - Nursery**

**1.40pm - Reception**

**1.50pm - Years 1, 3 and 4**

**2.00pm - Year 6**

Please note that there will be no after school provision on Friday 18th December 2020. The children will return to school on Tuesday 5th January 2021.













Yours sincerely

Derek Hewie  
Headteacher



# TIER 3

# VERY HIGH ALERT

<p><b>MEETING FRIENDS AND FAMILY</b> </p>	<p><b>BARS, PUBS AND RESTAURANTS</b> </p>	<p><b>RETAIL</b> </p>	<p><b>WORK AND BUSINESS</b> </p>
<p>No mixing of households indoors, or most outdoor places, apart from support bubbles. Maximum of six in some outdoor public spaces (e.g. parks, public gardens).</p>	<p>Hospitality is closed, with the exception of sales by takeaway, drive-through or delivery.</p>	<p>Open.</p>	<p>Everyone who can work from home should do so.</p>
<p><b>EDUCATION</b> </p>	<p><b>INDOOR LEISURE</b> </p>	<p><b>ACCOMMODATION</b> </p>	<p><b>PERSONAL CARE</b> </p>
<p>Early years settings, schools, colleges and universities open. Childcare, other supervised activities for children, and childcare bubbles permitted.</p>	<p>Open. Group activities and classes should not take place.</p>	<p>Closed (with limited exceptions)</p>	<p>Open.</p>
<p><b>OVERNIGHT STAYS</b> </p>	<p><b>WEDDINGS AND FUNERALS</b> </p>	<p><b>ENTERTAINMENT</b> </p>	<p><b>PLACES OF WORSHIP</b> </p>
<p>We advise against overnight stays other than with household or support bubble.</p>	<p>15 guests for weddings, civil partnerships and wakes; 30 for funerals. Wedding receptions not permitted.</p>	<p>Indoor venues closed.</p>	<p>Open, but cannot interact with anyone outside household or support bubble.</p>
<p><b>TRAVELLING</b> </p>	<p><b>EXERCISE</b> </p>	<p><b>RESIDENTIAL CARE</b> </p>	<p><b>LARGE EVENTS</b> </p>
<p>Avoid travelling outside your area, other than where necessary such as for work or education. Further exemptions apply. Reduce the number of journeys where possible. Plan ahead and avoid busy times and routes on public transport. Avoid car sharing with those outside of your household or support bubble.</p>	<p>Classes and organised adult sport can take place outdoors, but people should avoid higher-risk contact activity. Group exercise activities and sports indoors should not take place, unless with your household or bubble. Organised activities for elite athletes, under-18s and disabled people can continue.</p>	<p>COVID-secure arrangements such as substantial screens, visiting pods, and window visits. Outdoor/airtight visits only (rollout of rapid testing will enable indoor visits including contact).</p>	<p>Events should not take place. Drive-in events permitted.</p>