

4th January 2021

Dear Parents/Carers and Staff,

Updates

- We are sure you are aware that the Government has just announced that we will go into a full National Lockdown, in order to delay the spread of Coronavirus.
- In order to ensure the safety of families, pupils and staff we will be reverting to a similar way of working to the initial lockdown which we will communicate with you in due course.
- To enable us to liaise with all of our community, and put appropriate plans in place, **the School will be closed on Tuesday 5th January and Wednesday 6th January.** This measure has been agreed with our Area Education Officer this evening.
- If you are a critical NHS worker and you have shifts on Tuesday 5th January or Wednesday 6th January, please email Richard Dalton on rdalton@five-acre.kent.sch.uk
- School transport have been notified of this closure.
- We fully appreciate that our decision may have an impact on you. We hope you understand that these announcements are entirely beyond our control and the challenges we face balancing the education, health and wellbeing of our entire community.

Thank you for your continued support, patience and understanding.

Take care all and stay safe.

The Senior Leadership Team

