HOLY SOULS
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
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A St. Teresa of Calcutta Multi Academy Company School

Thursday 20th January 2022

Dear Parents/ Carers,

I am writing to inform you that Holy Souls Catholic Primary School will be **closed** to all pupils and staff on Monday 24th and Tuesday 25th January 2022.

You received a letter on Wednesday 19th January 2022 informing you of the rising cases of Covid in school and the measures needing to be taken. Today our numbers have continued to rise and we have been liaising with Public Health England and the Local Authority.

As a result, the Chair of Governors and the CSEL of the St Teresa of Calcutta Multi Academy have agreed with the decision to close school for 2 days for a deep clean to take place. This is to protect our children and staff and to try to minimise the chances of the further spread of infection.

Professional cleaning operatives will be carrying out a 'Fog and Deep Clean' to thoroughly sanitise all areas in school over the 2 days.

On Friday your child will bring home work to be completed over the 2 days. This has been clearly explained so that pupils know exactly what to do. Please also use Class Dojo, My Maths and Purple Mash in the usual way.

If your child is eligible for free school meals and you require packed lunches please contact the school by 2:30 p.m. today. Packed lunches (for 2 days) will need to be collected on Monday 24th January 2022 between 11:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. from Gate B.

As a school we have been incredibly fortunate to have not had to close many bubbles repeatedly over the lockdowns and we thank you for being so diligent in following our safety procedures. We are hopeful that by taking these preventative measures we will be able to return to normal as soon as possible.

Thank you for your support and understanding in these ongoing difficult times.

Stay safe and well.

Yours sincerely,

J.Veasey — Canon J Veasey (Chair of Governors)

R.A Girling — Mrs R Girling (Headteacher)