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Dear Parents

We have heard that an announcement from the Government is imminent (approximately 5pm this evening), regarding the closures of schools in England. Wales and Scotland have already announced that their schools are closing after Friday, we anticipate it will be the same for us.

Children will be sent home on Friday with a pre prepared learning pack, extra reading books and they will need to take all personal belongings home with them. Could any parents with children already absent from school please pop in on Friday to collect their packs. Please also find suggestions for extra work and activities on the home page and class specific on the class pages, of our school website (otterhamschool.co.uk)

At this point, we don't know how long the closure will be for, but if it follows the same as for higher educational establishments, the likelihood is the whole of the Summer Term.

The school will be in contact with any families we feel are particularly vulnerable during this time. Certainly, contact will be made with families eligible for Free School Meals so assistance of some description, (yet to be decided) can be offered.

The following few months are going to be trying times for all of us. If you are feeling in need of support and feel we can assist in some way please send an email to secretary@otterham.cornwall.sch.uk who will forward to the relevant person.

Kindest regards

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