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Pen Mill Infant & Nursery Academy

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Dear parents and carers,

Since the 8th March we have been delighted in welcoming children back to school. The children and staff have worked exceptionally hard both in their learning and in their resilience in these challenging times. As I am sure you are aware in the past 10 days there has been a high number of positive COVID cases within our community, as well as a large number of people isolating. This has led to 2 year group closures in the last week.

With this in mind, it is with a heavy heart that I am making the difficult decision to close the school tomorrow, the 1st April. I hope that you can understand why this decision has been made and can be supportive of the situation.

We have a high number of staff and children who are now required to isolate due to positive cases, or who are close contacts. The health and wellbeing of our staff, children and wider community is paramount, hence why this decision has been made.

We look forward to welcoming everyone back, happy and healthy on the 19th April.

Stay safe.

Mrs Manning and the Pen Mill Team