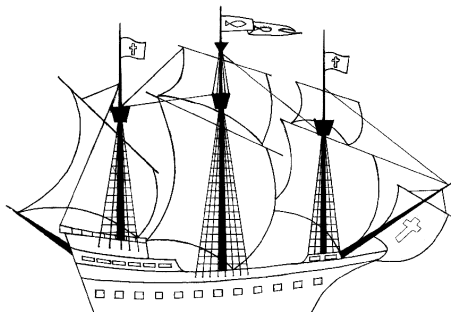

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*'The Fruit of the Spirit is Love, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Generosity, Faithfulness, Gentleness & Self Control'
(Galatians 5:22-23)*



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20th March 2020,

Dear Parents and Carers,

School closure – childcare arrangements

I am writing to confirm that a place for our childcare facility at Dawpool Primary School has now been allocated for your child/children.

School will run from 8.45am to 3.30pm each day from Monday 23rd March, including the Easter holiday. The children are expected to be brought to and from school by an adult. Please come to the main entrance of school. As part of the staff team, a member of the Senior Leadership Team, a First Aider and a Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) will be on site each day. Please note that if your child has been self-isolating this week, they must complete the 14-day isolation period before attending the provision.

This provision will only be possible if staff remain well and, if there are any changes, it may lead to a reduction in service or possible closure and we will inform you as soon as possible. As stated in the DFE guidance, **the Government has asked parents to keep their children at home, wherever possible, and asked schools to remain open only for those children who absolutely need to attend.** If your circumstances change, and you are able to access childcare elsewhere, please let us know as soon as possible as this would help us enormously in trying to prevent the spread of the virus.

Children should bring a packed lunch on a daily basis. They should also bring a plastic water bottle and a snack each day. We do not expect the staff and children to wear school uniform and, as they will be doing exercise and outdoor activities each day, sports/casual clothing would be preferred. We would ask that any medications your child needs are updated and kept in school in case it is required.

We are hopeful that this service can run as long as possible however, if Government guidance changes, or if we are advised to close due to staff shortages or a confirmed Coronavirus case in school, we will inform you immediately.

Yours sincerely,

David Burrows

'For I know the plans I have for you,' declares the Lord. 'Plans to prosper you and not to harm you. Plans to give you hope and a future.' (Jeremiah 29:11)