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Dear Parents/Carers

School Provision for children of key workers

As announced by the Prime Minister yesterday afternoon, all schools in England will close on Friday until further notice.

If NHS and social care employees cannot attend work because of childcare responsibilities this will create a major problem for health and care services that will directly affect their ability to care for seriously ill people.

Some schools will be required to remain partially open to provide provision for school-age children whose parents work in these essential sectors and cannot make alternative childcare arrangements.

To help us prepare, we are asking families in these circumstances, **where both or the only parent/guardian are NHS or social care employees** to complete an online form by clicking on the link below. If you cannot complete the form online, please let us know.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/BMQHDGY>

Yours sincerely

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