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Dear Parents and Carers

Further to my letter on Monday, I am writing to update you on the Trust's position with regard to the provision for children.

Following Government advice, we are remaining open to support vulnerable children and those children whose parents are 'key workers'. This **may** include:

- NHS staff
- Police
- School staff
- Delivery drivers
- Children with an Education, Health and Care Plan
- Families who are supported by social care.

In order to support the planning process, please could you let your child's school know if you are one of these workers, and be happy to provide evidence of this for us to provide childcare for you. We will then contact you to advise you of next steps.

For any child that remains at home, we will be sending out information about how we will support their learning over the next few days, and I would ask that you continue to advise the school by email if your child becomes unwell.

Please use the following emails:

- Beechwood.desk@discoverymat.co.uk
- Oakwood.office@discoverymat.co.uk
- WestonMill.office@discoverymat.co.uk

From Monday we will have on the DiscoveryMAT website a list of websites that you may also find useful to support your child's learning, as well as being fun to use.

Thank you for your ongoing support, and we look forward to seeing all children who are not self-isolating tomorrow.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alison", written in a cursive style.

Alison Nettleship
Chief Executive Officer