

Penpol School

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Monday 4th January

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you very much indeed for your patience today.

Having reviewed the situation carefully, we **will be open tomorrow** and look forward to welcoming our pupils back to school.

I understand that some parents are anxious about the rise in COVID cases both nationally and locally and have sought advice from the local authority. If you choose to keep your child at home in the short term during this evolving situation, we will respect this decision and provide as much remote learning support as is possible given the circumstances. In line with current guidance, your child's absence would be recorded as 'unauthorised' but we will not take any action against you.

It is important to note that this remains a fast-moving situation. There may be further changes in national advice or in our school's situation in the coming days and we will, of course, keep you readily informed.

Unfortunately, due to staffing shortages this week, we will not be in a position to offer breakfast or after school clubs as planned. If this presents a significant challenge to you, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Many thanks again for your trust and support.

Very best wishes,

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