

## BRONTË HOUSE SCHOOL

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13th January 2021

## **Dear Parents**

In line with Government guidance, we will continue to provide access to on-site provision for Vulnerable Children and the Children of Critical Workers from Monday 18th January - Friday 29th January.

The provision will be in a supervised environment where children falling into the vulnerable category or whose parents are Critical Workers, will continue their learning, either through live teaching or through accessing the online Zoom lessons in English and maths. All children in school will be using Seesaw to complete foundation subjects each afternoon.

School will be open from 8:00am - 4:30pm and the children will remain in Year Group bubbles for the length of the school day.

In a slight amendment to our end of the day routines, all children may be collected from 3:30pm, when the school day would usually finish. Indoor activities will take place from 3:30pm - 4:30pm so, if you arrive and your child is not outside, a member of staff will radio through to the classroom.

The Government criteria for pupils considered Vulnerable and children of Critical Workers, can be accessed via this link - Critical Workers and Vulnerable Children

We would ask that parents of pupils who are considering making use of the on-site provision, refer to this link prior to completing the survey below, to ensure we are doing all we can to safely and effectively manage the numbers in school.

In line with Government guidance, a child with at least one parent who is a Critical Worker is eligible to request on-site provision; however, the safest place for children to learn at this time is at home and, if arrangements can be made for children to be cared for off-site, the Government is clear that this is the preferred option. We have children in school each day whose parents are both Critical Workers, employed as Doctors, NHS workers and many other vital roles. Reducing the unnecessary risk of virus spread is crucial in maintaining our bubbles to enable such parents to continue to perform in these critical roles and your support in this is appreciated.

Parents who wish to access on-site provision for the period Monday 18th January - Friday 29th January, please click on the link below to complete the survey. Please note, this should be completed separately for all children who attend Brontë House, from Reception to Year 6. The deadline for returns is Friday 15th January at 9am. Please observe this deadline so that we are able to plan our provision for the proceeding two weeks.

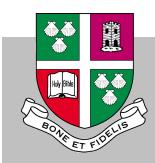
https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BHonsiteprovision2021

Parents should assume that, unless they are contacted to advise of the contrary, their child's place in school is confirmed.

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Children in Year 1 upwards should attend in their Brontë House PE kit, as they will have a Games lesson each day with a member of the PE Department; they should also bring a water bottle with them. Children in Reception should attend in their school uniform.

If you have any further queries regarding our on-site provision, please contact us on the email address below:

enquiries@bronthehouse.co.uk

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Yours sincerely,

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