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Dear Parents & Carers

Yesterday Government Covid-19 guidance was updated to advise that schools should close one day earlier than planned on Thursday 17th December 2020.

In line with the other schools in Milton Keynes Education Trust, we **will not** be open on Friday 18th December. This will be an INSET day for staff. The last day for children to be in school will be **Thursday 17th December.**

We appreciate that this is somewhat short notice, but the document was only published late on Tuesday afternoon. As always, we are following Government instructions and advice.

Our pre-arranged INSET day on Monday 4th January 2021 will remain in place.

The Christmas festivities we have planned will go ahead. Class parties and the class discos will still take place on Thursday 17th December with children invited to wear their party (mufti) clothes. School will finish at the normal times that day.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Stay safe and keep well.

Kind regards

J Edwards

Jane Edwards
Headteacher

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