Dear Families,

I hope you are all well and have had a relaxing festive period. As I'm sure you are aware, following the Prime Ministers announcement earlier today, from midnight tonight we will be in Tier 4.

This means that you cannot leave or be outside of the place you are living unless you have a reasonable excuse.

You cannot meet other people indoors, including over the Christmas and New Year period, unless you live with them, or they are part of your support bubble.

Outdoors, you can only meet one person from another household.

All First and Primary schools will open as planned to **ALL** children on Tuesday 5th January 2021. Middle and High schools have already been in touch with their families as their opening plans are different to ours.

I know how difficult this will be for many but in order to protect all of our children, parents and staff I urge you to ensure your family follows ALL of the rules listed in the link below.

I also remind you that we ask parents/carers to wear a face covering when on our school grounds - this is to protect **US** - and we will wear one to protect you.

Find all of the rules for Tier 4 here: https://www.gov.uk/guidance/tier-4-stay-at-home

Can I also remind you NOT to send your child in to school if they are showing any symptoms and to book a test immediately if they do. I look forward to seeing the children back in school on **Tuesday 5th January**.

Sending love and prayers to you all,

Clare McGregor Head teacher