



Clitheroe Royal Grammar School

Founded in 1554

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Dear Parents / Carers

First of all can I thank you for your support at this very challenging time.

I am aware that you will be inundated with information at the moment so I will keep this as brief as possible.

Emergency Childcare

I cannot thank you all enough for your response to this aspect of what schools are being asked to do. It is very heartening to know that even where it is very challenging for some parents, you have focused on the guiding principle of children being at home if they possibly can.

I know many of our 'key workers' have taken into account the impact of school providing childcare and the risk this propagates to staff, students and the families of those attending.

Whilst in school we will be encouraging great care with hygiene and, where possible, 2 metres of social distancing although I am sure you are aware, this is not the easiest to manage with large groups of young people.

Examinations

We are closely monitoring the situation regarding exams and, although [further information](#) has been released by the DfE, I am sure there will be more details in the near future and I will keep you informed on this matter.

Yours sincerely

James Keulemans
Headteacher

PROTECT THE NHS STAY AT HOME

Many parents whose work is critical to the COVID-19 response may be able to ensure their child is kept at home.

Every child who can be safely cared for at home should be.