



Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for your application for your child to attend the critical worker school during school closure.

We would like you now to click [here](#) and fill in the Google form to complete your application. Before you fill in this form, we would like to, once again, clarify the criteria for a child to attend critical worker school.

Please refer to this [document for further guidance on clarification of critical workers](#).

- If all of the adults in your household are critical workers, you will be entitled to a place. Therefore, if one adult or more is not a critical worker, your child will remain at home.
- The critical worker criteria must be involved in essential work critical to the response to coronavirus
- If you work part-time, please only use critical worker school on the days/hours you work.

We understand how difficult it is to work from home with children. Please note that recent changes to employment rights mean working parents can ask to be furloughed for childcare reasons. Further information can be found here:

<https://www.acas.org.uk/coronavirus/furlough-scheme-pay>

Hopefully, by following these measures together we can make this period of school closure as short as possible.

If you fulfill all the criteria above, please fill in the Google form below as soon as possible and, at the latest, by 9am on Sunday 3rd January. We will endeavour to let you know the outcome of your application by 6pm on Sunday 3rd January.

Many thanks for your continued support.

St. Stephen's School