

South Borough Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers of all children,

School Closure - Wednesday 3rd March

I am writing to let you know that we have taken the decision to close the school to all children, including those of vulnerable children and key workers, on Wednesday 3rd March because of a sudden water leak.

We discovered a burst water pipe on Monday, which is now scheduled to be fixed on Wednesday. Whilst this repair takes place, the water company is going to need to shut off the water supply to the entire site for the day. This will leave the school without toilet facilities, the ability to wash their hands or for the kitchen to function. As I am sure you will agree, keeping the school open without these essential facilities is not feasible. We also need to ensure it is fixed before next week when the whole school returns.

All children will be able to access remote learning via Google Classroom and join the live learning session scheduled for the Wednesday morning.

We understand and apologise in advance for the inconvenience this may cause for some parents and children. Please rest assured that our plan is to reopen to vulnerable children and those of key workers on Thursday.

Thank you for your ongoing support,

Yours sincerely

Mr M Currie Head of School