



3rd January 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

I would like to start by wishing everyone a Happy New Year – I hope you had a wonderful Christmas break with family and friends.

As you will be aware, there has been a significant amount of rainfall across the country over the last 24 hours as a result of Storm Henk. Flood water has entered the school premises, although not to the extent of that experienced in October. It is, however, with deep regret that I must inform you that we will have to close the school on Thursday 4th and Friday 5th January. This is to ensure that all areas of the school affected by the flooding have been cleaned thoroughly and are safe to be used by the children.

We understand that this closure will cause a level of inconvenience to you, which we apologise for, but appreciate your understanding and support in this situation. Staff will be setting work on Microsoft Teams for the children to complete – this will comprise of an English activity, a maths activity and one other activity each day. For children in York class, the activities will be set via Tapestry.

The anticipation is for us to open school as normal on Monday 8th January and I will be writing to you at the end of the week with an update on this. I would like to put on record my thanks to all staff for their hard work in salvaging items from the flood and for their continued support and efforts today.

Thank you once again for your understanding.

Yours sincerely

Mr M Baker
Headteacher
