



Milton Primary School
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Thursday 17th December 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you will know the new school term is due to start on Monday 4th January. You will also be aware that the rate of Covid transmission is very high across the city. At Milton, we too have had a number of positive Covid cases over the past fortnight!

As a result, Newport City Council have taken the decision to direct all schools to provide **remote learning only during the first week back: Monday 4th-Friday 8th January.**

The intention is that face to face learning will then resume from Monday 11th January.

Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th January will be used by schools to assess staffing levels and review risk assessments.

Children of keyworkers and vulnerable learners will be able to attend childcare hubs in school settings from Wednesday January 6th- Friday 8th January.

Applications for a place in our Milton Primary School Childcare Hub will open on Monday January 4th. I will write again to parents on this date with information about who is eligible to apply and how to apply.

During this first week back, FSM learners will received an additional supermarket voucher.

This information is very much hot off the press but I wanted to inform you as soon as possible to allow you to plan for the new year.

It just remains for me, on behalf of all the staff and governors at Milton, to wish you a safe, peaceful and merry Christmas. I will be in touch again before the start of the new term in January.

Warmest wishes,

Mrs Burke

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