

LOCKDOWN PROCEDURES

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Dear Parent/Carer

All schools in the UK are now required to ensure that pupils understand and practise lockdown procedures. A lockdown is a precautionary measure in response to a threat directly to the school or the surrounding community. As the title suggests, the school will be fully locked to keep all pupils safe. This is simply another way of ensuring that all the children in our care are as safe as possible.

Would you please take a moment to read the information on the reverse of this letter. We will soon be explaining to our pupils what to do in the event of a lockdown and we will follow this with a practise. Just as we regularly practise fire drills we will now also practise lockdown procedures.

Please do not hesitate to contact either myself or Jayne Elliott if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely

Steve Dixon

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