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Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Parents who are Key Workers**

I am writing to confirm that we have been able to accommodate all parents who have requested a place for their child/ren.

We have had many more requests this time and have split the children up into three groups. If only one of you is a key worker, we would hope that you would seriously consider keeping your child at home if possible, in order to protect both children and staff as the more children we have in school, the greater the risk for everyone.

Please read the attached guidelines and ensure your child brings in the requested items to school. If your circumstances or shifts change, please advise the school by 12:00 on Friday, before rotas are set up for the following week.

### **Remote Learning**

All classes will begin each day with a Zoom registration at 9:15 am. The details for logging in will be sent via Seesaw. This will give teachers an opportunity to greet the children and set out the learning tasks for the day.

Please ensure you have your child's log in details for Seesaw as all work will be set on Seesaw. If you have mislaid your child's log in details, please contact your child's teacher directly:

#### **Class Teachers:**

Y6 [kieran.johnston@barham.kent.sch.uk](mailto:kieran.johnston@barham.kent.sch.uk)

Y5 [nicki.gooderham@barham.kent.sch.uk](mailto:nicki.gooderham@barham.kent.sch.uk)

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If your child needs a device, please email/phone the school office as we have some laptops available. There is a plastic box with exercise books for completing work under the canopy at the side of the school office building and if you would like paper copies of any worksheets, please email the school office [office@barham.kent.sch.uk](mailto:office@barham.kent.sch.uk)



Staff are working hard today to set work for the class and will be available if you need support in the coming days but please bear in mind, on some days, teachers will be in school supporting children of key workers and they may be trying to home-school their own children too so responses may not be immediate.

Please take care of yourselves and your family and do not hesitate to get in touch if we can help you in any way. Just email or call the school office between 9:00 and 3:15.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Al Higgins". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above the printed name.

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