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### Re Covid cases at Rachel Madocks

Dear Parents and Carers,

I know that many of you are aware that over the last few weeks we have had repeated cases of Covid, affecting various classes. Even with all our best efforts, risk assessments, procedures and PPE we have not been able to eradicate it fully within our school.

Currently, I also have a large number of staff who are unwell, both with and without Covid. This obviously has a massive impact on covering other lessons, as well as health and safety.

We already have some bubbles isolating and I have made the decision, and it is not one that I have made lightly, to close the school to some classes on different days due to staff shortages. Please refer to the table below to see how this affects your child:

Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	School closed to Parrots, Penguins, Puffins, Robins, Shelducks, Serins & Hawks
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> November	School closed to Parrots, Penguins, Puffins, Wrens, Herons, Roadrunners, Skylarks & Kestrels
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	School closed to Puffins & Penguins
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> November	School closed to ALL PUPILS
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	School closed to ALL PUPILS

Obviously the situation is constantly changing and this plan will be reviewed regularly. I will update you in due course if further closures are necessary.

In the meantime, if your child is at all unwell, please do not send them in to school until all symptoms have gone in order to protect our school community.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Niki Wilson', with a small flourish at the end.

Niki Wilson  
Headteacher