PORTISHEAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers

Attendance

Just a reminder that all pupils attending our critical worker/vulnerable children provision are expected to attend on the days that were indicated on the key worker/vulnerable child survey that was sent out last week. If you child is ill or cannot attend for any reason please follow the usual absence procedure and leave a message with the school office either by phone or email to advise us of the absence so that we can update our registers.

Remote Learning

Just some very quick and helpful reminders:-

- TEAMS can be accessed using an X Box and Play Station if you child does not have access to another device, which may add to your family's capacity to engage in remote learning.
- Please ensure that children do not join meetings before they begin, including assemblies.
- Please be mindful that when your children un-mute, everybody in the meeting can hear whatever is being said in that room. This may mean you could be accidentally sharing confidential information with the whole school by accident without realising!
- We appreciate having your family at home whilst many of you are working is really challenging, one top-tip that a couple of parents have shared with us, which may help if you aren't already doing it, would be to continue to prepare packed lunches the night before to make meal times easier, or batch cook meals which can be microwaved.
- The Senior Leadership Team and I do drop in to sessions for short amounts of time, and randomly.

Kind Regards,

Richard Riordan

Headteacher