



15 January 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Nursery Provision**

Further to my letter to all parents dated 8 January I am sorry to have to confirm that Nursery will not be open to Greenway children next week.

As I explained last week the Government has determined that all early years' providers including school based nurseries (excluding Reception) will remain open during the national lockdown for face to face learning except where there is a positive case(s) in the Nursery and any relevant self-isolation period is being observed **or** because it is operationally unviable for them to open.

As you are aware, we were unable to open Nursery to Greenway children this week due to the lack of staffing capacity – it was operationally unviable. Unfortunately, the position remains the same for the week commencing Monday 18 January. I will advise you should this change for the week commencing Monday 25 January by the end of next week. We wish our staff a speedy recovery.

Mrs Tritton will however upload onto Google Classrooms a variety of activities for the children to complete next week. These will be available from Monday morning. I am sure you will appreciate that given her current circumstances Mrs Tritton will not be responding to emails or work uploaded to Google Classrooms this week. Any concerns please do not hesitate to contact [admin@greenway.herts.sch.uk](mailto:admin@greenway.herts.sch.uk) and we will respond accordingly.

Following clarification from the Local Authority I am now able to confirm that those Nursery children currently attending the critical worker provision 12-3pm afternoon slots will be charged as per the 30 hours rate. The office will be sending out invoices in the next few weeks.

Regards

**Katharine Ellwood**  
**Headteacher**