



Tuesday 30th June 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

Great Moor Community Infant School will close to all pupils for the summer holiday on Friday 24th July.

Stockport Local Authority have received notification from the DfE confirming that there is no expectation for schools to remain open over the summer to any children, including those who are vulnerable, or children of key workers.

The message goes on to stress the need for teachers, support staff and school leaders to recharge and rest ready for September.

Unfortunately there will not be any summer provision, holiday club or summer school available for the children on the school site for the children from either GMCIS or GMJS.

Over the summer, Great Moor Junior School are having a full rewire resulting in periodic interruptions to electrical power across both school sites. There will also be a high number of construction workers entering and leaving the site throughout the day, and the project will not be managed by the infant school.

Whilst Home Learning will cease in its current form over the summer, we will be providing a focus for 'Summer 2020', uploading it onto Google Classroom before the end of the summer term. Staff will not be available to comment on any work that is shared during the holiday, however we would very much like to see shared work, photographs and pictures via Google Classroom early in the autumn.

We are currently awaiting information and guidance from central government regarding schooling in September, this is due for release later this week. As soon as we have a clear picture of how the autumn term will look in school, it will be our priority to inform parents.

We are currently unaware whether we will be able to re-establish before and after school wrap around care/provision, either in the form of Fun Club, or clubs and activities run by the GMCIS in September. We are awaiting further GOV.UK guidance and will inform parents as soon as possible. Again this will be a priority. We fully understand the impact this may have for working parents.

Families who are entitled to Free School Meals will continued to be supported throughout the holiday as the government have announced. We are in the process of managing this within school.

Should you have any questions or concerns please contact us at school.

Thank you for your support.

Kindest wishes,

Yvonne Dobson – Headteacher