



5th March 2020

Dear Student/Parent/Carer,

Re: Coronavirus Outbreak

We are writing to provide an update on the precautions we are taking here at the Centre in order to minimize the risk of catching or spreading Coronavirus.

Off-site Activities

Off-site activities such as shopping, swimming and bowling are being placed on hold for 2 weeks and will then be reviewed after this time. We understand this will be unsettling for some students and will therefore increase our support to help them understand the reasons for this.

Visitors

Visitors to the Centre are being limited with only essential visits taking place.

Hand Cleanliness

Strict handwashing regimes are being put in place along with an increase in hand sanitisers gels being placed at various locations around the farm.

Survey

Students will be receiving a short survey over the next week and we would appreciate co-operation in completing it accurately and returning it promptly. As the number of people we have on site is quite large we want to take every precaution to protect their safety.

Risk Assessment

The situation is being risk assessed on an ongoing basis and regular reviews in place, to monitor control measures and ensure the latest guidance is being followed.

Coffee Morning

Coffee Morning which takes place on the last Friday of each month will also be placed on hold until further notice.

If you do have any concerns regarding the above, please do not hesitate to call the Centre. If you suspect you or a person you have contact with may be suffering from the virus, please call 111 and notify the Centre immediately. We are also advising staff and students to be mindful of the places they are visiting outside Centre hours.

We thank you for your support.

Kind regards,

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