

## Goldthorn Park Primary School

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Primary School

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We continue to face challenges at Goldthorn Park to ensure the safety of all pupils and staff in the current climate. The additional pressures school are facing due to Covid-19 means that staff within schools are unable to have the flexibility to cover classes, in the light of staff absences. We are very much aware of the need to ensure we limit staff crossing bubbles in order to deliver lessons across the school.

We are sad to inform you that the current circumstances at Goldthorn Park mean that we are unable to provide the adequate staffing within our Year 5 classrooms for a further period from Monday the 23<sup>rd</sup> of November to Wednesday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of December.

We are hoping at this point that all staff will be able to return to school and Year 5 will be welcomed back. Year 5 children will continue to receive daily home learning via Class Dojo and staff are currently planning live learning for pupils to become involved in until the 2<sup>nd</sup> of December. If you are not signed up to Class Dojo please can families ensure that you do so as soon as possible. If you do not have an email address, then please contact the school office and we will provide a learning pack to take home.

Please can we reassure you that there have been no positive cases of Covid-19 reported within this bubble, the closure is due to staffing shortages. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause and we appreciate your support during this difficult period.

Kind regards

**Mrs Hemmings & Mrs Purshouse**  
**Acting Heads of School**

