

## Jennett's Park CE Primary School

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## Dear parents & carers

Just to confirm our close date is still Friday 18th December 1:30. Please be prompt. It's been a long year for everyone. We will open gates at 1pm to still allow slow staggered pick up.

Some have already begun to ask why we won't take up the government on its decision to have an INSET day next week:

- 1. We would need to make up the day at a later date if we took it then
- 2. We set the date and many parents and staff have plans revolving round it
- 3. Our view is that INSET days are vital to train our staff so that they can teach your children even better

Some rightly have concerns over track and trace and our part to play. When last minute decisions such as this come in it is helpful to give us a few hours to make decisions. You know we will communicate as quickly and efficiently as possible, but rudely demanding answers for an immediate answer does not help!

I will update you on Friday about how you'll be contacted if we need to notify you of cases and how /when you can contact us if you have symptoms after we close. It will be via sQuid, but you may appreciate more details than that I'm sure.

Lastly, if you still know someone in our family who doesn't use sQuid or who seemingly doesn't get the updates now is the time to force them to ring or email the office- secretary@jennetts.bonitas.org.uk to make sure their details are up to date. It isn't against the Rainbow Promise or the Christmas spirit to point that out.

Stay well & be well

Liz Savage

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