



Barton
Junior School

9 December 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

Important information regarding the last day of term.

Late yesterday afternoon the government announced that schools should strongly consider making Friday 18 December an inset day.

With this in mind, all Trust schools will now finish next week at the end of the day on **Thursday 17 December** at the usual staggered finish times for each year group. There will be NO After School Club on this day.

Schools will continue to provide the government with assistance for the Track and Trace system by reporting positive cases until 23 December. If your child tests positive between the 18 Dec and the 23 December, please inform the school via email only on barton@barton.dfamat.com to enable me to inform close contacts.

The leadership teams meet daily to review the situation for each school and so if there are any further developments, we will update you immediately.

I apologise for the short notice of this announcement and I would like to sincerely thank you all for your support, cooperation and feedback in helping us work together to maintain our provision and in doing all we can to keep our community safe.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if we can be of any assistance to you.

Yours Sincerely

Melanie O'Dell
Headteacher