**CORONA VIRUS**

**COVID -19**

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS AND CARERS**

**Until further notice from the DfE and NHS England, St Michael’s primary School is remaining open. To minimise the spread of infection in school, until further notice, we are:**

* **Cancelling all assemblies and educational visits**
* **Cancelling Church services**
* **Reminding children to wash their hands**
* **Arranging for children who arrive in school with a persistent cough or temperature to be collected from school and remain at home for the recommended 7 days, in isolation.**
* **Recommending that children, who have compromised immune systems are isolated at home.**
* **Politely requesting parents and carers do not enter the school building unless requested to do so.**

**Parents and carers must take the responsibility for ensuring children who present with a persistent cough or temperature are kept at home for the 7 days recommended by NHS England.**

**IF IN DOUBT, PLEASE KEEP YOUR CHILD(REN) AT HOME AND CALL THE SCHOOL OFFICE.**

**To find out what to do if you think your child has the symptoms, please follow the link below.**

<https://111.nhs.uk/covid-19>

Parents will be informed by text and on the website in the event the school has to close