

Essex County Council

# Stebbing Primary School

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Dear parents,

Following this evening's announcement by the government, we have made the decision to cancel the following events:

Family consultations - postponed until further notice

Learning review meetings - postponed until further notice

PE stars (parents viewing)

One plan meetings

Muffins for mums

I am sorry for the late notice but we have taken this decision in light of the information shared this evening.

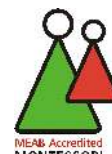
I would like to take this opportunity to attach the advice shared. We may provide a further update tomorrow as Essex County Council is meeting to discuss this further.

May I draw your attention to the following websites for advice and the information below:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/topical-events/coronavirus-covid-19-uk-government-response>

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/public-health-england>

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## **Whole households to stay at home** (courtesy of BBC news website)

Prof Whitty said if one person in any household starts to display symptoms, everyone living there must stay at home for 14 days.

Mr Johnson said the 14-day stay at home advice means people should, if possible, avoid leaving the house "even to buy food or essentials".

He said people could leave home to do exercise but should do so at a safe distance from others.

Prof Whitty said social restrictions would be "very difficult for people to maintain" but they would be "doing it to protect the NHS from being overwhelmed".

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

Kind regards,

Miss Mawson  
Headteacher