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Dear Parents/Carers,

Hope you and your families are all well.

We have just had confirmation from the Department of Education, that schools will be closed over February half-term to **all** children, including those considered to be vulnerable and to children of keyworkers.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your on-going support with the home learning. It is hard for many, particularly those who are working from home whilst also trying to support their children with home education, and we thank you for your engagement which has been excellent across all classes.

For those families in receipt of Edenred food vouchers, an alternative will be provided during the half-term and we are awaiting the details of this from the local authority. Further confirmation will be passed to you once this information has been made available to school.

Currently, we do not know when schools are likely to open and as soon as we do find anything more out, I will be in contact with you.

I very much hope that this information will come to schools prior to being announced nationally but as you know this has not been the case with all previous announcements.

As we move towards the half-term holiday please remember that we are contactable via Class Dojo, the school office or [admin@broadbottom.tameside.sch.uk](mailto:admin@broadbottom.tameside.sch.uk);

As always, please take care and stay healthy and safe.

Very best wishes,

Mrs Marrow and the Broadbottom Team.

