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Letter to Children/Parents/Carers of Acorns Class

Dear Children,

Well this is a quiet time not having you at school. I hope you are being good at home and helping as much as you possibly can. You may have heard that there are some children going to Stoke school with us. This isn't because they are more important or more special than you, it is because they are not able to stay at home like most of you. You are all equally important and equally special and we really look forward to having you back in school when the time is right. For now, we all have to stay at home to keep each other safe. Enjoy this time with your family and make some super memories of new things that you learn about together.

Take care, listen to your parents and stay safe.

See you soon

Mr Moore

Dear Acorns Class,

How are you? This feels very strange not seeing you in school and hearing all your news and stories. Who would have thought a few weeks ago that we would be finishing school for Easter so soon! It can be sad to think we will be away from each other for such a long time but I am thinking of you all and although we are not together we are still 'Acorns Class' and you are still part of Croscombe School. I am busy organising ways we can still keep in contact with you all, offering activities for you to do at home and allowing you to share what you have done with us. You are all amazing and I look forward to seeing you all again soon.

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If you have completed some of the activities from the learning pack I sent home, that is great. If you haven't then don't worry. The most important thing to think about right now is staying home and safe with your families. Take time to be with them and make lots of important memories. I appreciate that staying in can be tricky so here are a few things you could share with your 'grown ups' and to keep busy:

- 'Go Noodle' like we do in class
- Have a go at 'Joe Wicks' PE.
- Retell the story of 'Monkey see, Monkey do'. Can you make up your own?
- You could make a 'Titanic book'
- Write a daily diary of how you are feeling.
- Sing our new songs, Who can remember to sign and sing 'Sing a rainbow' and what about 'Rubber Chicken'.
- Pretend it's a school, day with funky fingers, some phonics, maths, such as number bonds, snack at 10.30 am, English and say the school prayers.
- Be creative
- Use your amazing 'Gem Powers of being organised and solving problems, **Diamond**, staying focused, **Sapphire**, being brave and learning when you make a mistake, **Emerald**, being kind and helping others **Ruby** and working as a team **Amethyst** and **Topaz**. You are all super heros.
- Remember this is also different for your grown-ups so please help them too.

I'll be in touch again soon

Take care, listen to your grown ups and stay safe.

Mrs Chester

p.s. Inky is happy and safe and is being looked after. He will be back at school when you are.