

Maiden Erlegh Trust  
**EDUCATION CONTINUITY  
PROTOCOL (Primary/Special)**  
**2019/20**  
*(For Parents/Guardians & Pupils)*



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TRUST

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## Scope

This protocol applies to circumstances where one or more Maiden Erlegh Trust schools is anticipated to be closed for a period longer than one day because (e.g.) the School estate is inaccessible, key systems or utilities have failed, or an order by a regulatory authority requires the School to close and/or a significant number of people to self-isolate<sup>1</sup>.

<sup>1</sup> Not an exhaustive list, other unpredictable circumstances may cause the School to be closed.

## Continuity of Teaching

Schools will do all that they reasonably can to continue to deliver educational services, by using various technologies and online services to enable remote learning.

In circumstances where schools are able to remain partially open with reduced staffing, they will aim to run a teaching programme for pupils on roll. The programme put in place may not, however, fully follow the planned curriculum.

Where schools are closed for more than one day, teaching staff will endeavour to ensure that work is available for pupils to access at home via their school's chosen platform or by email. The planned work may not fully follow the planned curriculum, however.

Pupils are expected to complete work set to the best of their ability.

## Provision for pupils who do not have access to internet at home

If families do not have access to the internet at home, they should inform the school as soon as possible and arrangements will be made to send work home for pupils. Staff will endeavour to set work reasonably in line with that provided for all other pupils – in quantity, quality and feedback provided.

## Notifying Parents

The Trust and schools will keep parents advised of progress towards re-opening their child's school and returning to normal arrangements.