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10th March 2023

Dear Parent/ Carer,

Closure of Alexandra Maintained Nursery School

It is with regret that I am writing to inform you that Alexandra Maintained Nursery School will close at the end of this academic year, August 31st 2023 and the last day of school will be Friday 21st July 2023. The final decision was made at a Bolton Council Executive Cabinet Member meeting on the 6th March 2023.

Bolton Local Authority has worked closely with the School and Governors and have followed the guidance as set out in the 'Opening and closing maintained schools' by the Department of Education following the school Organisation (Establishment and Discontinuance of Schools) Regulations 2013.

This decision has been made due to the financial viability of Alexandra Maintained Nursery School and in no way reflects the quality of provision, which has been rated Good by Ofsted; or the hard work and dedication of the staff team.

Working with Bolton Council we will ensure that all families and children that are not moving to school in September, are supported to find alternative childcare. School staff will support transition to which ever provider you choose to move to.

Parents can seek advice from Families Information Service regarding alternative provision in the local area and a personalised list has been prepared for all funded children of the nearest Childcare providers to where you live. School will ensure these are shared.

You can also look for alternative provision online at http://www.mylifeinbolton.org.uk/. Please do not hesitate to contact Bolton Families Information Service by email: families@bolton.gov.uk or telephone (01204) 332170.

If you have any further questions, please do get in touch.

Yours Faithfully

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