## **Rivington Foundation Primary School**

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Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2018.

Dear Parents,

May I start by thanking you for your continued support and efforts during this challenging time for school. Mrs. Annette, the Governors and I appreciate and recognise the challenges and inconveniences the current situation has brought.

A multi-agency conference was held this morning at which the issues facing school were raised. After taking advice and the most up-to-date information from Lancashire Fire and Rescue and Lancashire County Council Emergency Planning it has been advised and decided that in light of the current situation alongside an increase in temperatures and a change in wind direction towards school it would be best for the children and staff to remain at Albany for the duration of next week (9/07/2018-13/07/2018). The situation will be re-assessed on Thursday of next week using the same advice and support from all the relevant agencies.

The Governing body recognises the challenges this may bring and thanks you in advance for your continued support and understanding. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the staff at Albany particularly Peter Mayland (headteacher) and Andrea Christie, the school's logistics manager for accommodating our school in such a fantastic and generous manner. May I also thank all the staff at Rivington for ensuring that the transition to our temporary accommodation has been a smooth and happy one.

Mrs. Annette has put into place plans for pre-school, breakfast club and late-stay to be housed at Albany alongside school from Monday onwards – these will be with you shortly.

If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact myself via the Headteacher at: <u>head@rivington.lancs.sch.uk</u>

Best wishes,

## Stephen Sands

Chair of Governors, Rivington Foundation Primary School