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Dear Parents and Carers,

Re: Advance Notice of Temporary Closure of Wedmore First School Nursery

We hope this message finds you and your family well.

We are writing to inform you of an upcoming temporary closure of our Nursery provision. Due to some unforeseen staffing challenges, we regret to announce that the Nursery will be closed from **Monday 7 April 2025 to Thursday 17 April 2025**, inclusive. Unfortunately, we are unable to offer our usual service during this period.

To keep you informed, our Nursery Manager, Mrs Daisy Duggan, has made the decision to resign this week in order to pursue her dreams of travel. While we will be sad to see her go, we wish her all the best in her future endeavours. Daisy will be leaving us on **Friday 4th April 2025**.

In addition to this, as you are aware, Mrs Rhiannon Wyman-Rowell is scheduled to begin her maternity leave on **Friday 4th April 2025**.

In order to provide the best care for your child, we have carefully considered all options and, regrettably, have determined that closing the Nursery during this period is the safest choice. This decision was made after thorough consideration of our current staffing levels and the risk factors involved. We understand the disruption this may cause, but please be assured that this decision has not been made lightly.

We are actively addressing the situation and have already initiated the recruitment process. Our Nursery will reopen after the Easter break on **Tuesday 22 April 2025**, with fully appropriate staffing levels in place.

Key Information:

- **Closure Dates:** Monday 7 April to Thursday 17 April 2025 (inclusive)
- **Reopening Date:** Tuesday 22 April 2025
- **Alternative Arrangements:** If you need assistance with temporary childcare or have any specific concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us. We will do our best to support you during this time.
- **Communication Updates:** We will provide you with any changes or additional information promptly through our usual communication channels.



We understand the impact that this may have on your family, and we sincerely apologise for any inconvenience. We hope that the advance notice will provide you with sufficient time to make temporary alternative arrangements.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support. The safety and well-being of your children remain our highest priority, and we are committed to resuming full service as soon as possible.

Should you have any questions or require further assistance, please feel free to speak to us.

Kind regards,



Shelley Kent
Headteacher

