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**Key Worker Application Form for Continued Access to Academy Provision during Staged Return to School in January 2021**

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**Children of key workers, and vulnerable children who are already eligible, will continue to be offered a place, regardless of the year group they are in.**

**The definition of key workers remains unchanged.**

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As such, if you think that you are eligible for this access via your employment status, please follow the flowchart below. If you are qualify and wish to access this offer, please fill in the questionnaire and return it to [office@bluecoatmeres.co.uk](mailto:office@bluecoatmeres.co.uk)

A copy will also be accessible on the school website, under the Letters area.

**Is your occupation in the list of critical workers?**

YES

NO

**You are eligible for some or all the enhanced provision. Please fil in the application form below.**

**Your child should remain at home**

**Application Form**

Please answer all of the questions in full:

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| **1. What is your name?** |  | | |
| **2. What is your job title?** |  | | |
| **3. Please indicate the critical worker category that matches your role (from the list on the following pages)** |  | | |
| **4. Please provide the name and contact details (email and telephone number) of your line manager.** |  | | |
| **5. How many hours per week are you employed in the critical worker role?** |  | | |
| **6. What is your shift pattern?** | MON  TUES  WED  THUR  FRI | | |
| **7. Are you a single parent?**  **If yes, go to question 8, if no go straight to question 9.** | Yes No | | |
| **8. Does your child live with you on a full-time basis? (If yes, please contact the academy to provide details).** | Yes No | | |
| **9. Are you wishing to access continued provision at the academy at any point?** | Yes No | | |
| **10. Please specify which of the sessions you will need to access.** |  | **Morning** | **Afternoon** |
| **Monday** |  |  |
| **Tuesday** |  |  |
| **Wednesday** |  |  |
| **Thursday** |  |  |
| **Friday** |  |  |

Now please return this form to: office@bluecoatmeres.co.uk

**Appendix A:**

**Health and social care**

This includes, but is not limited to, doctors, nurses, midwives, paramedics, social workers, care workers, and other frontline health and social care staff including volunteers; the support and specialist staff required to maintain the UK’s health and social care sector; those working as part of the health and social care supply chain, including producers and distributors of medicines and medical and personal protective equipment.

**Education and childcare**

This includes:

* childcare
* support and teaching staff
* social workers
* specialist education professionals who must remain active during the COVID-19 response to deliver this approach

**Key public services**

This includes:

* those essential to the running of the justice system
* religious staff
* charities and workers delivering key frontline services
* those responsible for the management of the deceased
* journalists and broadcasters who are providing public service broadcasting

**Local and national government**

This only includes:

* those administrative occupations essential to the effective delivery of the COVID-19 response
* or delivering essential public services, such as the payment of benefits, including in government agencies and arms length bodies

**Food and other necessary goods**

This includes those involved in food:

* production
* processing
* distribution
* sale and delivery
* as well as those essential to the provision of other key goods (for example hygienic and veterinary medicines)

**Public safety and national security**

This includes:

* police and support staff
* Ministry of Defence civilians
* contractor and armed forces personnel (those critical to the delivery of key defence and national security outputs and essential to the response to the COVID-19 outbreak)
* fire and rescue service employees (including support staff)
* National Crime Agency staff
* those maintaining border security, prison and probation staff and other national security roles, including those overseas

**Transport**

This includes those who will keep the air, water, road and rail passenger and freight transport modes operating during the COVID-19 response, including those working on transport systems through which supply chains pass.

**Utilities, communication and financial services**

This includes:

* staff needed for essential financial services provision (including but not limited to workers in banks, building societies and financial market infrastructure)
* the oil, gas, electricity and water sectors (including sewerage)
* information technology and data infrastructure sector and primary industry supplies to continue during the COVID-19 response
* key staff working in the civil nuclear, chemicals, telecommunications (including but not limited to network operations, field engineering, call centre staff, IT and data infrastructure, 999 and 111 critical services)
* postal services and delivery
* payments providers
* waste disposal sectors