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Dear Parents

As you will be aware, Governors have had to make the very difficult decision to consult with parents, staff, pupils and the wider community on a second proposal to close the school. This is because of the significant financial challenges the school faces due to low pupil numbers.

The final stage in this process is for Staffordshire County Council's Cabinet to consider this proposal at their meeting on May 15 2019. To this end, a report recommending the closure of the school will be published today on the county council's website: www.staffordshire.gov.uk.

In making their final decision, the county council will consider the responses received as part of closure proposal. I wanted to thank you for taking part in the consultation, and for your continued support of the school throughout this difficult time.

I will continue to keep you informed, and will let you know of the Cabinet's decision on May 15 2019.

Yours sincerely

Mrs C Heathcote

Chair of Governors

