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Dear Parents,

Re: Closure of School on General Election Day.

As you know, a General Election has been called for Thursday 8th June. Dacorum Borough Council has advised us that our school is to be used as a polling station on that day.

We have therefore decided, in common with Goldfield School, to close Bishop Wood to pupils on that day.

This decision has not been taken lightly, but the current safeguarding agenda makes it inadvisable for schools to stay open on days when members of the general public will have access to the site.

I do appreciate the child-care challenges that this will create for some of our parents, but I trust that giving you plenty of notice will allow you to make appropriate arrangements for your children on that day.

With kind regards,

Mrs Linda Hardman
Headteacher

