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An Roinn Oideachais agus Scileanna

Office of the Secretary General
Department of Education and Skills

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Dear Principal

Please see attached a letter from the Chief Medical Officer for school principals which gives advice which you should follow.

It outlines how decisions regarding school closures will be taken in line with public health advice.

Up to date information on Covid-19 that is relevant to education settings is available at www.education.ie/Covid19

The Department will continue to keep you updated as the situation evolves.

I would like to thank you for your ongoing work in relation to Ireland's response to Covid-19.

Yours sincerely

Seán Ó Foghlú
Secretary General