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Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

Following the government statement last night and ratification by our Governing Body this morning we are delighted to inform you that we will be reopening our school to small groups of children on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June.

We are re-opening with caution, to a small group of staff and pupils in line with the government guidance, having put in place all the recommended safety measures and having carried out comprehensive risk assessments. Safety and well-being of staff and children will be continually monitored.

We are limited to the number of children that we can safely accommodate at this time due to space and staffing. Therefore, we ask that you do not send your child to school without contacting us first, giving us a minimum of 24 hours notice informing us of your intention.

Priority for places will be allocated in the order as stated below:

1. Vulnerable children
2. Children of key workers
3. Children in Year 6
4. Children in Year 1
5. Children in Reception

**What to do now:**

Please contact us via the admin email by 9am on Sunday morning to confirm that you would like your child to attend school on Monday and we will confirm if we have a place for your child to attend.

**For those remaining at home:**

We understand that at this time a great many of you feel that it is safer to keep your children at home. During this time we will continue to support with our home-learning plans. As you can appreciate teachers will now be managing both learning in school and out of school, please be understanding if you are waiting for a response from us.

We have re-attached our Parent guidance for you once again, this has been updated and we have highlighted the additions in yellow. Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any further queries.

Thank you to you all for your continued support and encouragement, and for the concern many of you have shown for staff returning to school. Thank you also to the members of staff who have worked so hard over recent weeks preparing the school building to enable a safe return to school.

Best wishes,

Liz Orland

Headteacher

John Pinkney

Chair of Governors