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Dear Parents/Carers,

**RE : Opening of school on the 8<sup>th</sup> June 2020 for EYFS, Year 1, Year 6 and Keyworker children**

Thank you to all parents of the designated year groups for completing our parent survey earlier in the month. Calculating the numbers of children intending to return we have been able to carry out detailed risk assessments and procedural plans and confirm that we will be able to open the school for EYFS, Year 1, Year 6 and keyworker children on the **8th June 2020**. This will of course continue to be under the government's guidance and advice.

There will be staggered starts and finish times for each group or 'bubble'. The school will **close on each Wednesday at 12.15pm** to allow staff to have their preparation and planning time and allow for extra cleaning during the middle of the week.

Two dedicated staff members will be allocated to each bubble. Children and staff within these bubbles will not mix. Details of these changes are within the '*Day to Day Arrangements*' document that you will receive with this letter. We have also attached a 'FAQ's' document for all parents to read.

As a reminder, we will be asking all families to maintain as much distance as possible between families as you arrive and depart from the school site.

In all of this, we wish to continue to be clear that effective home learning and support will need to remain at the core of our provision for all of our pupils. Even for those that do return to school, home learning activities and resources will be significant in ongoing educational provision. We will continue to seek to develop this to be as effective and helpful as it can reasonably be.

We have also included forms for Keyworkers who wish their children to continue their provision as before half term and for those that may now wish to include their children in the return on the 8<sup>th</sup> June. We will need to know confirmed numbers asap. We have allocated space and adults based in the figures from the initial parent survey.

Thank you for your continued support during this time and, as always, we are available to be contacted through email or calls to the school office.

Kind regards.

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