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Coronavirus (COVID-19) – School Re-opening

Dear Parent/Carers,

We are currently working hard as a school, alongside our H&S consultants, to develop a plan for the potential **phased** re-opening **from** June 1st. The Government has provided a set of guidelines regarding how to implement measures and we are working with them to plan for the safest possible return to school for pupils and staff. The Governing Body is supporting the school throughout this process.

As you can probably imagine, this is a very challenging task which requires time and careful consideration. Before we can release detail about how a return might look, like all other schools, we are awaiting clarification from the Government on pupil numbers which may affect our planning.

A safe return to school could take many forms and follow different models but we are absolutely clear on one thing – **the safety of the pupils and staff is critical**. However we choose to phase in the return of groups, it will be performed in a way that is controlled and monitored closely to ensure that the measures we have in place are effective.

I hope to be in a position to send out detailed information to you regarding the reopening in the early part of next week.

Yours sincerely

Mr C J Steele
Headteacher

