

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are all keeping well. Thank you to those who completed the parent survey that was sent to you on Friday last week. Thank you for your messages of support, your questions to consider and your concerns about the challenges we all face as parents trying to make the right decisions for our families. All of this is being considered as we plan a new way forward. I know some of you are not sure what you will do yet with regard to your child returning to school and we will ask for confirmation of this closer to the time for those children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 6. I appreciate some of you want to know what the provision for your child will look like before making a decision.

I will send out information next week that should make our plans clearer with regard to opening the school from 10th June onwards, if it is deemed safe to do so.

You should all be aware from previous correspondence that the local authority have granted schools two days INSET on 8th and 9th of June to brief staff and prepare the school for the return of some pupils from10th June. The school is closed to all children on these two days.

Our key worker children and those children identified as vulnerable from all year groups are still our priority and this has to be factored into the plan. There is a great deal to consider and risk assess to ensure the school can support both staff and pupils.

I'm sure you appreciate, logistically this does take time and it is important staff and governors are part of this process so everyone involved has an input into how Moorfield will operate next half term and possibly into the new academic year in September.

The school is closed on Monday for the Bank Holiday and reopens on Tuesday 26th May to children of key workers and other children we are supporting at this time. However, the school office will be closed until Monday 8th June and all communication should come through the admin email address which will be checked on a daily basis. admin@moorfield.stockport.sch.uk

Have a lovely weekend and I will be in touch next week.

Best wishes,

Mr Anderson





25th May 2020 What's going on this week?



Internet and media companies should do more to tackle the spread of misinformation as falsehoods have increased during the coronavirus pandemic, fact-checking organisation Full Fact said in a report released early May. "Bad information ruins lives," Chief Executive Will Moy said. "Here in the UK, we have seen misinformation take hold in the form of fake cures, spurious claims, conspiracy theories and financial scams."

Things to talk about at home...

- Can you make a list of all the different places you can hear about the news?
- Talk about the different ways you can check if the news is likely to be true and the different places to find news that has been checked.
- Do you like hearing about what's in the news?

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