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Dear Parents,

Firstly, I hope that you and your families are well, and continue to make sense of current events. I know that things are not always straightforward, and I have nothing but admiration for people who are having to be flexible and pragmatic in such challenging times.

This week the Government announced that the phased reintroduction of all primary school children would not necessarily be possible, before September.

Schools have been given the task of both keeping children and staff safe, as well as trying to deliver as much education as we reasonably can, for those children not attending. It is very difficult to maintain both. Our focus now, however, is make plans for September, and to try and provide time in school for as many year groups as we possibly can.

Until it is published, I cannot pre-empt Government Guidance. I do recognise that there may be a requirement for schools to interpret matters, so that they can ensure that everyone's safety is not compromised. There are clearly logistical challenges around safe space, which means that we will almost certainly need to adapt some of our processes. We are considering staggered times and part-time or flexi schooling, as a way of addressing such matters, as well as looking at developing our online learning.

I will of course give you more information as things become clearer for us.

Yours sincerely,

Brett Stevenson
Headteacher

