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Good morning,

After listening to the prime minister's statement last night, I am sure that parents will have many questions and possibly some concerns about the re-opening of schools.

In school we are preparing to re-open on 1st June for Pre-School, Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 children as announced by the Prime Minister last night.

We are working with colleagues from other schools and the local authority and will look carefully at the guidance published by the government later today to make sure that we have everything in place to enable children to make a smooth and safe return to school.

I am mindful that the proposed date of 1st June is the earliest date on which some children will return to school and that this may be moved to a later date in response to the changing situation.

I am also aware that families and children have a varied set of circumstances and needs and not all will find a return to school straightforward whilst some may welcome this development.

In school we will continue to make provision for children of critical workers and vulnerable children in all year groups, this provision will also be made as children in various year groups make a phased return to school.

We will continue to keep parents informed as the situation changes and will write to you again as things become clearer.

If we do re-open on 1st June, we will have a lot to organise to follow the government guidance as best we can.

To help us plan for this logistically, it is essential that you complete our online survey that consists of one question. This will enable us to know in advance how to organise the children groups and the school day.

Click the link below to answer the one question survey.

<https://forms.gle/D6LjrY9UBSk128fG7>

Best wishes,

Ian Taylor
Headteacher