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Dear Parents and Carers,

Following the announcement made by the Prime Minister last night, I am writing to confirm that we are reviewing our risk assessments, and preparing to reopen our school week beginning Monday 8th March. As you are aware, alongside teaching children remotely, we have remained open for children of critical workers and vulnerable children. We will now be planning for all children to return on Monday 8th March. The Government have stated that attendance will be mandatory so please start to prepare your children to return to school.

As we have done after previous lockdowns, we are carefully considering the best ways to keep everyone safe and this includes ensuring that we have clear control measures to keep our school community as safe as possible.

Please be assured that we are always reviewing and making changes to ensure that our school is as safe as possible and that our children are happy and safe at school. However, we **all** have a role to play in keeping our school safe, and this includes following the government guidance to isolate if you have Covid symptoms or if you have been in contact with a confirmed case. For the past few weeks our staff have been using Lateral Flow Tests twice a week to ensure that anyone who is asymptomatic is identified and tested. This will continue when the children return to school. We will also be ensuring ventilation in school is maximised.

I have been continually impressed with, and immensely grateful for, the tremendous work that our families and staff have put in to ensure that our children continue to receive the best education possible under the challenging circumstances so THANK YOU. Please do contact us if you have any questions either by telephoning school (0161 428 2476), by email or via school / class story.

I will be in contact again nearer to the 8th March with updates but in the meantime, stay safe, look after each other and #bekind.

Best wishes,

Christine Meekley

Headteacher
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