

Tuesday 23rd February 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you all managed to enjoy a break last week over half term.

Following the government announcements yesterday, we are delighted to be welcoming all the children back into school on Monday 8th March 2021. Our school environment will be carefully organised to ensure it is as safe as possible for all of our children and staff team as they return. We will share more details next week about our revised health and safety procedures before the children return. However, please be assured that we expect the procedures in place to be mostly the same as previous measures.

It is important to explain that the DFE have made it very clear that attendance for all children in primary schools from Monday 8th March is mandatory. This means that our attendance policy will be fully operational again from this date.

As explained in my previous letter before half term, when all the children return we are fully committed to working collaboratively to ensure children's needs are identified and met in the best possible way. We will adapt our curriculum as necessary and utilise our catch up funding to support the children together with you as needed.

Most importantly, we will be preparing an exciting and enjoyable welcome for your children with a particular focus initially on children's personal, social and emotional wellbeing and relationships.

We look forward to seeing you all again soon and will be touch again next week with more detailed information. Best wishes.

Mrs Liz Hardy Executive Headteacher







