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Important – Please read this letter carefully; some information might be different from the Government’s and Local Authority’s announcements

Dear Families,

Last night, the Government confirmed that it would ask primary schools to re-open to more pupils where they can from 1st June onwards. We have been working hard to meet this request and, in order to make the necessary changes, we expect school to re-open from Monday 8th June at the earliest, subject to finalising our plans next week. I will write to you again in the coming days to confirm further details.

We know that this will cause inconvenience to some families and we are sorry for this. Our priority is to re-open in the best and safest way possible to reduce the risk of having to close again later and causing more disruption.

Key worker children, who have been attending the continuous provision places will continue to come into school as they have done throughout lockdown. For all other children in other year groups, including those who are not identified as part of the wider opening, we will continue to provide home learning so that they continue with their lessons this will be available from the website and through the app from Monday 1st June 2020.

When children do return, I want to reassure you that the safety of your children and our staff is our number one priority in all of our planning. Supported by the wider Astrea team, we have all been working hard to put in place a number of protective measures to help make the school as safe as it can be.

We will continue to monitor the numbers of children needing to return from June and we will ask you to complete updated versions of the parent survey each week to support our detailed planning. This does mean that the way we offer our provision is likely to change over the course of the next half term.

We appreciate that you will have questions and concerns about your child returning to school. As ever, please do get in touch with us to discuss these through the app.

In the meantime, thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Catherine Skinn'.

Catherine Skinn
Principal