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Dear Parent/Carer

Update on Wider Opening of Schools

Once again we would like to take this opportunity to thank you for working with us to ensure that we can welcome our pupils back to school whilst ensuring that health and safety remains our highest priority. It has been great to see our numbers gradually increase and children enjoy school again whilst taking the new arrangements in their stride.

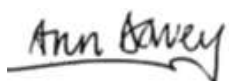
As stated we have conducted a review of school places as more pupils have expressed an interest to join us. We are pleased to say that we can accommodate all those pupils who have expressed a desire to return to date but this does now mean that:

We only have a very small number of places left for vulnerable pupils, pupils of key workers and children in reception, Yr 1 and Yr 6. Please contact the school office if you would like more information.

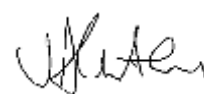
Government guidelines state that these year group and groups of pupils remain our priority. Where schools have spaces they can open to wider year groups as long as health and safety rules can be maintained.

Our review has shown us that, much as we would like to welcome all our children back, unfortunately we cannot do so with the current restrictions in place. As our numbers are now settled we will not be holding any further reviews this term.

We sincerely hope that by September, in line with the Government announcement last week, we will be welcoming all our pupils back to school – we await further guidance in this area.



Ann Davey
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