



Upper Beeding Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers

Thank you for your patience whilst we have been waiting for the Government guidance to support opening the school to all children in September. The guidance came out yesterday and can be found at www.gov.uk I am currently working out how we can ensure we get all the children back to school safely. Once I have completed a risk assessment and governors and staff have reviewed it, I will share our plans with you. I am hoping to be able to send you this information by Friday 10th July.

What I can tell you so far is that a number of our current practices will remain in place; for example, staggered starts and finishes to the school day, regular handwashing, no adults allowed on school site unless directly working with the children and the creation of "bubbles" and "super bubbles" of children.

Over the next two weeks, we will have pretty much every bubble of children the Government designated as a priority full and all staff working at maximum capacity to facilitate this, as well as supporting home learning. We are incredibly disappointed that we are unable to arrange any face to face meetings for all the children that are not currently in school and each class teacher will therefore be sending a message to their children on the VLE, either directly to them or on their class page.

We continue to really appreciate your support during this time and look forward to seeing some of you when you collect your children's reports and belongings next week from the front of school.

Best wishes and stay safe.

Becky Linford
Head Teacher

Diary Dates

w/c 6th July – Annual Reports to Parents

Wednesday 8th July – School Closed to all children for INSET

Friday 17th July – Last day for children in school. Childcare last day

Monday 20th July - School Closed to all children for INSET

Thursday 3rd September and Friday 4th September – School Closed to all children for INSET

