













25th March 2020

Dear Parents/Carers and Staff,











Updates

- As you are aware, we re-opened today with a skeleton team of staff and a small number of numbers who need to be in School.
- **We would like to stress the fact that most recent scientific advice is that if pupils can stay safely at home, they should, to limit the virus spreading.** Thank you for your patience, trust and understanding during these incredibly difficult times.
- As far as practically possible, we have observed ‘social distancing’ advice throughout the day. We have tried to minimise non-essential contact, whilst ensuring that these pupils have been safely supervised and occupied. Staff have had access to the personal protective equipment (PPE), that we successfully purchased this week. We are constantly evaluating and adjusting our working practices in this respect.
- We cannot thank our amazing staff enough for your incredible support. Your flexibility and commitment to our School, during these challenge times, could not be more evident. Thank you all for going way ‘above and beyond’ in all that you are doing right now. We are very proud to be part of such a fantastic team.
- As our service continues to evolve, we have been carefully considering our ‘aims’ moving forwards, how we will achieve these, and the ‘trademark behaviours’ we will live by as a School, which will define us when we’re performing at our very best. More about this will be appearing soon on our Website and Social Media, but here are our initial thoughts in the meantime....

During These Ever Changing Times We Will....

 <p>Meet Needs</p> <p>Focus on how we can best meet the needs of pupils who are safer at School</p>	 <p>Belong</p> <p>Foster a sense of belonging and identity, as well as an understanding of the ‘bigger picture’</p>	 <p>Safe And Caring</p> <p>Provide a safe, caring and welcoming environment for these pupils and staff</p>	 <p>Manage Change</p> <p>Help our pupils, families and staff to feel as supported as possible</p>	 <p>Home Support</p> <p>Provide families with ongoing high quality home based learning activities and free School meals (as required)</p>	 <p>Clear Communication</p> <p>Communicate effectively with all of our stakeholders</p>
 <p>Resources</p> <p>Ensure that we have all the resources we need, and that we manage them effectively and efficiently</p>	 <p>Multi-Agency Approach</p> <p>Adopt a multi-agency approach and value the contribution of all partners</p>	 <p>Embrace Change</p> <p>Respond positively to change</p>	 <p>Relationships</p> <p>Consolidate our existing strong relationships with parents, carers and families</p>	 <p>Community Support</p> <p>Gain the support and involvement of the local community</p>	 <p>School To School Support</p> <p>Provide support to other Schools where possible</p>

We Will Achieve This By.....

 <p>Distributed Leadership</p> <p>Strong in-depth distributed leadership and staff empowerment across the School</p>	 <p>Teamwork</p> <p>Working together towards our agreed aims</p>	 <p>Seeing 'The Big Picture'</p> <p>Ensuring that we take full account of our pupils individual needs, in both the short and longer term</p>	 <p>Goal Setting</p> <p>Setting and monitoring challenging, realistic and achievable targets</p>	 <p>Technology</p> <p>Making best use of technology to support communication</p>
 <p>Continuous Improvement</p> <p>Focusing on continuous improvement</p>	 <p>Partnerships</p> <p>Developing strong partnerships with parents / carers and the wider community</p>	 <p>Staff Support</p> <p>Ensuring that staff benefit from a strong support network</p>	 <p>Sharing Expertise</p> <p>Sharing our expertise to support other learning communities</p>	 <p>Celebrate Success</p> <p>Celebrating our successes</p>

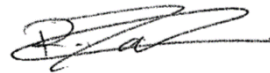
Please let us know what you think!

Take care all.

Kind regards



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