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Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope that you are all safe and well.

Following the latest government announcement on Tuesday 22nd June, we would like to update you all on the success of our initial reopening of school and share our plans moving forward.

Phases 1 and 2

Phases 1 and 2 have gone really well and there has been a wonderful atmosphere in the school. There have been lots of happy, smiley faces as the children have adapted to their new classroom environments. Our 'Golden Rules' have become part of our everyday language and the children understand the importance of keeping everyone safe. Thank you for supporting us to ensure that this transition was so positive.

As stated in our Newsletter on Friday 22nd June, we are currently at **full capacity**, however, if you consider yourself to have exceptional circumstances, then please contact the office to discuss how we could best support you. New government guidance on social distancing rules takes effect from 4th July and until that time, please follow current guidance.

Current Provision

Our current provision is for Reception, Year 1, Year 6, and key worker children. This provision will continue until Friday 17th July. Home-learning will continue until the end of term for those children who have not yet returned.

End of Term Dates

In line with our cluster schools we will be closing on **Friday 17th July** to those children accessing **Reception, Year 1 and Year 6** part-time provision.

We will be closing to **keyworker/vulnerable children** at 3:15pm on Tuesday 21st July.

Summer Holiday Provision

Robert Kett's 'Extra Time' holiday club will be running from Wednesday 22nd July to Friday 4th September. Families can book this via the link below or by visiting Robert Kett's website. This provision is for everyone, not just for key workers. Payment should be made directly to Robert Kett (key worker childcare provision will not be funded).

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Transition arrangements

We will send information regarding transition, including September classes and teachers, in due course. Although we find ourselves in unusual circumstances, we will ensure the children are given the opportunity to say goodbye to their current class teacher and make contact with their new teacher. As always, the teachers at Ashleigh have come up with creative ways to do this. We will, of course, continue to ensure this is carried out following all health and safety guidance.

Plans for September

Despite the governments announced plans to further ease lockdown, we still have no further information about what September will look like for schools. Gavin Williamson, Secretary of State for Education, stated that guidance will be published in the next two weeks. Once we have received the information, we can finalise our plans and will communicate these with you as soon as possible. We thank you for your patience and understanding.

Please get in touch if we can help in any way. Take care and look after each other as always.

Kind regards

Mrs Greenacre & Miss Lacey
Acting Headteachers

