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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Return to school

Dear Parents/carers,

Firstly, we hope this letter finds you and your families all safe and well. Thank you for your patience, positive encouragement and the continued support that you have provided at home, to make this temporary ‘distance learning’ experience a success.

As you may have heard, in the Prime Ministers announcement on 10 May he said,

“Our ambition is that secondary pupils facing exams next year will get at least some time with their teachers before the holidays.”

Although it is not explicit, there is still much to be considered about whether schools could open for more children from June 1st. At this stage, we are considering how we make sure everything we put in place manages risks to our children, families and staff as effectively as possible. Be rest assured however that we are taking the time to carefully assess, review, plan and prepare for this to occur.

As we begin to explore the next phase, we would like to establish how many year 10 parents/carers will consider sending their children back to school before the summer holidays. We would be grateful if you could inform us of your intention by completing and returning the questionnaire below.

We are fully aware that many parents/carers will be very anxious about sending their child to school. If you have any worries or concerns, please feel free to share them with us on the form below. Your feedback is important and will help us to support you and your child’s return back to school. We will provide a similar questionnaire for your child to complete on SMHW, as we feel their voice is equally important.

We would appreciate if you could complete the short questionnaire by Monday 25th May. [CLICK HERE](#) to navigate to the questionnaire.

Yours sincerely

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