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Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope you and your families enjoyed another week of glorious weather and managed to get outside and enjoy some fun activities.

I want to give you some updates on where the school is at with planning our limited re-open to children.

We have continued to work on our risk assessment, which is a rather large and comprehensive document, designed to assist us in minimising risk to children and staff, before any actual reopen. As the guidance around school reopening has been evolving over the last couple of weeks, the process of writing this document has been a challenge. This week we will be:

- Meeting with our staff to discuss our risk assessment
- Seeking quality assurance from the Local Authority on the robustness of our risk assessment
- Meeting with our governing body to allow them to examine and challenge our risk assessment

Our plan remains to open to year 6 pupils only next Monday, 8th June, and we are confident the risk assessment process, outlined above, will allow us to do this.

In the meantime, we will be contacting year 6 parents and outlining the measures the school is taking to minimise the risk and then asking them to confirm if they will be sending their child in to school. As stated previously, no parent will be penalised for deciding not to send their child into school.

I will write to you again by the end of the week to advise on the process for a limited reopen of year 1 and Reception. The earliest these year groups will be opened is Monday, 15th June. It is most likely we will open only one of these year groups on that date, with the other opening on Monday, 22nd June – we will confirm this by the end of this week.

Yours sincerely,

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Headteacher