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FULL RETURN TO SCHOOL ON MONDAY, 8TH MARCH 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you and your family are well-rested after the half term and staying safe.

Following the government's announcements last evening, I am delighted to confirm that our school will open fully for all our learners at 8:40am on Monday, 8th March 2021. The team are looking forward to welcoming all the children back into school. We know that face-to-face schooling is the very best education for children; having them all back will improve their quality, quantity and pace of learning and will help their mental health.

I will issue a separate letter with more details in the next few days, although I envisage that the return will be very similar to September 2020, with separate entrances. We are hoping to receive all learners from 8:40am to 8:50am each morning (hence no staggered drop-off/collection times), and I confirm that we will resume full school lunch service. ***I confirm that primary schools will NOT be conducting CV-19 tests on pupils.***

In the meantime, I would ask you to start preparing your child for a full return to school. I appreciate that this has been a difficult time for families and we truly appreciate all your support of the remote learning. After many weeks of remote learning, I understand that some children may be a little anxious about coming back to school and your reassurance in this respect would be much appreciated. Please prepare your child well for their daily 'going to school' routine, including the wearing of school uniform and shoes. We have found that the children love being back with their teachers and friends and soon start to settle and smile once in class.

For the next two weeks, our remote learning provision will continue on Edmodo; if you have any queries, please contact the class teacher on the usual class e-mail address.

Best regards,

Leslie Semper
Headteacher