



Lee Brigg Infant & Nursery School

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Re-opening of School – Update

Dear Parents / Carers,

We are now in a position to update you further on the procedures in place for the re-opening of school on **Monday 1st June 2020**. The Government has announced that the next phase of school re-opening may be able to commence from **Monday 1st June 2020** providing that key tests are met. It is important to understand that the Government will make their final decision as to whether schools will re-open once it has reviewed the latest science on **Thursday 28th May 2020**. If evidence does not support the decision to progress school re-opening at this time, then wider school re-opening will be delayed. Waterton Academy Trustees have met and will reserve a final decision in regards to the wider re-opening of schools until **Thursday 28th May 2020** pending Government update. There is no guarantee that school will remain open from **Monday 1st June 2020**; this decision will be based on ongoing review of risk assessments in place and Government guidance.

School will remain closed to **all** pupils for staff training and final risk assessment review on **Monday 1st June 2020**.

We would like to thank you for your continued support and patience at this time. We have made attempts to contact all families who had not advised of or were unsure of their decision to return their child(ren) to school and respect the decision of those families who have chosen not to return their child(ren) to school if advised safe to do so by the Government on **Thursday 28th May 2020**.

Should your circumstances change, Waterton Academy Trust have asked that parents and carers of all pupils eligible and intending to return to school complete a simple online registration form. We would ask that parents / carers to contact school by telephone **in the first instance** should this transpire. Please be advised that we cannot guarantee an immediate place for your child(ren) in school as child to staff ratios have been set and 'hubs' allocated using pupil numbers from survey responses received. Additional pupil places will need to be evaluated in line with current Government guidance. We will however, endeavour to support our families wherever possible.

Should you have any queries or concerns in regards to the above, we would ask that you contact school by telephone on **Monday 1st June 2020**. School will be closed to pupils for half term **Monday 25th May 2020** to **Friday 29th May 2020**.

Yours sincerely

Sarah Gordon – Headteacher



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Designated Safeguarding Lead: Miss S Gordon - Deputy DSL: Miss L Kilkenny - Safeguarding Governor: Mr A Emms
If you are worried a child is at risk of harm please contact either of the above or **Social Care Direct on 01924 303456**.

Copies of the Safeguarding and Child Protection policy can be obtained from the school office or downloaded from the website.