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Dear Parents/Carers,

Yesterday, Kirsty Williams (Education Minister) announced that all schools in Wales are set to return on 29th June 2020. Some of the key points that the Minister has said are:

- All schools are to re-open from 29th June for a trial and transition period.
- All children will have the opportunity to “Check in, Catch Up, Prepare for summer and September”
- Pupils may need to be brought into schools in very small groups due to social distancing and it is anticipated that no school would have any more than a third of pupils in school at any one time.
- The plan is to extend the remaining term by one week so that means schools will be open for 4 weeks before the summer break, therefore ending on the 27th July.
- From 29th June the children of key or front line workers will attend their normal school.

We have already started the process of planning for re-opening of the school and the way in which it operates will be in line with government guidance which will be sent to schools next week. Our main priority will continue to be to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all pupils and staff. When we have received the guidance, I will inform you of the arrangements that we have in place.

Take care and thank you for your continued support during these challenging times.

Yours faithfully

Richard Rees

Headteacher