



HIGH HESKET C of E SCHOOL (VC)

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Dear Parents,

Many of you will have seen the Prime Minister announce last night that schools have been asked to prepare for a possible phased return of certain year groups from 1st June 2020. The proposed year groups mentioned in the briefing as the first to return to school are Reception, Year 1 and Year 6.

I am sure that you can appreciate there is now much to consider and I know many of you will have questions and concerns about how this will be implemented and how the safety of our pupils and staff will be considered should this go ahead. We were advised in last night's briefing that more guidance and information is to follow and we look forward to receiving greater clarity on this so as we can carefully formulate the next steps for High Hesket CE School and our families.

I would like to reassure you that we will be providing more information as soon as we are able and will keep you up to date as things progress. Throughout this all, the safety and well-being of everyone involved will remain our top priority. As things stand, the guidance relating to schools has not yet changed and we expect to receive detailed support from the Local Authority in addition to the Department for Education guidance in the coming days.

In the meantime, we will continue to provide our home learning resources for all year groups and we thank you for all your continuing support and patience.

We are thinking of all our families at this difficult time and hope you are all managing to stay safe and well.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Harvey