

Subject: parental guidance document

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Great Barford C of E Primary Academy

Dear All,

Since I wrote to you yesterday we have received further guidance about how we should implement the partial return to school for our children on June 1st 2020. The link below will take you to a very useful document with guidance for parents and carers about the reopening of educational settings:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/closure-of-educational-settings-information-for-parents-and-carers/reopening-schools-and-other-educational-settings-from-1-june>

We are in the process of risk assessing and planning and today there is some information that we need from you that would be of great help at this early stage. We need to know if your child is considered to be either extremely clinically vulnerable or clinically vulnerable. Please see the section of the document headed **'Should I keep my child at home if they have an underlying health condition or live with someone in a clinically vulnerable group?'**

If your child falls into either of these categories could you please email admin@gbpa.org.uk with your child's name, year group and the relevant information as soon as possible.

Re-opening the school is going to be a much more complex project than it was to close and there are many things that we will be required to do and consider in order to make it safe for all. This is a changeable situation and nothing is, as yet, set in stone. The Government could change their plans and we will need to respond to this rapidly as well as responding to the needs of our pupils, staff and wider community.

I will be in touch again soon. Take care and please be reassured that we are working hard to make the reopening of the school, as safe and straight forward as we can.

Kind regards,

Sarah Evans
Headteacher