



NANSTALLON SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Initial Response to Government Announcement 10 May 2020

I am sure that many of you will have watched the Prime Minister's address to the nation yesterday evening.

You will have heard the Prime Minister indicating that the government believes it may be in a position to implement a phased re-opening of schools from 1 June, starting with pupils in reception, year one and year six. This is part of the government's conditional plan, which it says will remain under regular review.

However, I would like to reassure you that our first priority is the health and wellbeing of pupils, staff and families above all else.

Like you, I have only just seen the announcement and at this stage, I am not yet in a position to answer the many questions you no doubt have. I am waiting to receive more information from government about what this means for our school. In the meantime, I will be talking to our local education authority and holding further virtual meetings with our governing board.

In the short-term, nothing has changed – we remain open for key worker children and vulnerable children only – and I will provide further information in the coming days and weeks once I am able to do so.

Warmest regards,

Ben Stephenson

Headteacher