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Dear Parent/Carer

We are delighted that every pupil can return to school on March 8th. We will be asking parents and pupils to access the school using the same gates as before lockdown. I would remind you that maintaining social distancing is still a government requirement and that parents are expected to wear masks at drop-off and pick-up points.

A gentle reminder that we open our gates at 8:40 am to all pupils and that they shut at 8:55 am. All pupils will need to be in school uniform and should bring in the exercise books they have been using at home. Please ensure they bring their reading journal with them as well as a bottle of water. An outdoor coat should be worn as it is still not very warm at break and lunchtime.

We will be providing hot cooked lunches as normal, from Monday 8th March. Please ensure that your child knows whether they are having a packed lunch or school meal.

We have advised Fit For Sport that we are open and you need to contact them directly if you wish to use their services. Their contact details are www.fitforsport.co.uk.

We shall be advising parents of the time and place for year one catch up which will start from 10th March. Homework and Catch-Up club for **all** other children starts from 15th March and is still on Monday and Tuesday from 3:15 pm until 4:15 pm.

We will be doing PE during the timetabled time on your children's timetable. Please ensure you know when your child's PE day is. All timetabled PE times will be on the website. Full track suits are expected for PE up until Easter.

We will be maintaining our handwashing regime in school and expect all pupils to follow directions about hygiene without question. We have retained our extra cleaner who works in the school during the day to ensure all classrooms and toilets are cleaned on a regular rota.

As we move towards Easter we will be following our programme for masses and liturgies and Father Kevin has agreed to continue providing online assemblies, for which we are very grateful. We will be recording all religious services and placing them on our YouTube channel so that you can see your child take part. At some point we will be able to meet together again, but not in the immediate future.

It is important that **all** our children return to school, see their friends and start face-to-face learning again. We are looking forward to seeing everyone and would ask that you help us by talking with

your child about how enjoyable it will be for them to return. Any issues or problems please email the office at office@stedwardsprimary.org.

Looking forward to seeing you all at 8:40 am on March 8th!

God bless.

Anne Thomas
Head of School