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Dream, Believe, Achieve
'Nothing will be impossible with God' Luke 1:37

Friday 29th May 2020

RE: Arrangements for school reopening on 1st June 2020

Dear Parents / Carers,

Further to the government's announcement yesterday evening, I write with information regarding the arrangements for the wider opening to pupils over the course of this term.

I'm sure you appreciate that there has been significant communication into schools from the DfE, Local Authority, Diocese and of course trade unions. This has not been timely with a number of updates late yesterday evening and even this morning. Hence, I begin with an apology for the late notification and poor timing of this letter. I would rather contact you later and have all the information to hand, than make plans and have to change them at the last minute.

If you recall in my previous letter, it stated that we would return to school 'should all the government 5 key conditions be met **and our own risk assessments** deem it safe to do so.' Having completed risk assessments in place since last Friday, the school now needs to respond to further communication from the LA last night and requires more time to complete further actions. It is with the safety of both staff and pupils the school has now updated plans to share. These are –

1. School will be **closed to all pupils for INSET training** on Monday 1st June.
2. From Tuesday 2nd June, **School will remain closed to the wider community**, but open for 'Critical worker' pupils.
3. From Monday 8th June, we plan to invite **year 6 pupils only** into school, however we will confirm this later on as the advice is changing rapidly!
4. We will then re-evaluate provision and revise opening to other year groups over the course of the half term.

Please email me at head@cuckney.notts.sch.uk if you require a 'Critical worker' childcare place for next week.

Home learning

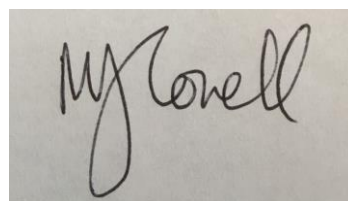
Home learning will continue to be provided on the school website for all year groups. Teachers will plan weekly for literacy and numeracy and share the same planning with parents that they will teach to the year groups attending school. This allows us to maintain a consistent approach as both children at home and school will receive the same learning opportunities. Should parents need any support with this, class teachers are more than happy to help. While we appreciate this may cause stress to parent, please know that we think you have done an amazing job so far and this is not compulsory in any way, just there for you should you chose to use it.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank you for supporting the school over recent weeks and supporting your child with their home learning. Please feel free to contact me via email should you have any further queries or concerns at head@cuckney.notts.sch.uk

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "L.C. Crossland."

Lisa Crossland
Head Teacher

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Margaret Lovell".

Margaret Lovell
Chair of Governors