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Dear Parents/Carers,

Firstly, thank you as always for all your support during these difficult times. I am writing to you to explain how we will be implementing some changes in provision for Key Worker pupils. This is in response to the Governments planned intention to open the school to more year groups over the coming weeks. The government information for schools currently changes daily and so we apologise that sometimes we are communicating differing messages.

To enable us to accommodate the potential increase in Key Worker pupils we will moving the group to classroom spaces, this will enable us to ensure that the group will be no more than 15 pupils and that these key worker groups will not mixed.

Now that we have more children in school it is necessary for us to implement some changes to ensure that pupils and staff remain safe. A home school agreement was sent out just before half term which detailed the changes from the 1st of June and explained how we will be operating as a school.

From the 1st June

- We will be asking all the pupils to wear school uniform
- We ask that children bring nothing into school except a named water bottle and packed lunch in a carrier bag, which will be disposed of at the end of the day. Plastic bags will be provided at the entrance to school as required. If necessary, they can also bring a sun hat or coat.
- The children should enter school through the playground gates. Parents will not be able to drive on to the school site and should follow the one way system when dropping off/collecting their child.
- School will close to **all pupils** at 3.30pm Monday to Thursday and at 1pm on Friday for a deep clean.
- If your child's year group is in school, it has been recommended that they join their year group, so as this occurs we will inform you of your child's provision moving forward. If they start at a later date then they will join their year group at this time and remain there.
- If your child's social bubble ends before 3.30, then we will be able to keep your child until 3.30pm by them remaining in their social bubble. The key worker pupils will now be in classrooms rather than the hall.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to email school@bearwood.poole.sch.uk.

Yours sincerely,

Laura Bennett

