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Dear Parents / Carers

On Sunday's Downing Street press conference, the Prime Minister once again addressed the issue of schools.

As I'm sure you will have already seen, he suggested that it is the Government's belief that they will be in a position to move to 'phase 2' of the coronavirus response, which would include the phased re-opening of primary schools in June.

It is important to reiterate that this does not mean that the government has actually met its own five tests yet and whilst it might feel optimistic about doing so, the formal review will not take place until later this week

The Government still seems intent on working towards a return for some pupils in June, and we are preparing accordingly. We have contacted all parents and discussed the potential return. We have informed you of the measures to implement protective factors, although quidance is being issued daily.

In order for the school and staff to be ready for the opening, we will be taking Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June as a training day. **NO children will be in school on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020.** This will ensure all staff members can prepare resources, classrooms and train on the new procedures in school. It will also allow for a through clean before the further opening to some year groups.

We shall in be contact directly with those who have chosen to return, with specific details towards the end of the week.

Thank you for your support and patience.

Stay Safe.

Mrs Grainger

