



22nd June 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

Thank you all for your support and patience as we work towards a wider opening of the school. As you are aware Skerton St Luke's CE School has remained open during the Covid-19 Pandemic. Staff have worked throughout to plan learning that you can all access easily and that the children can do without having to print off worksheets.

We have had pods of children in school accessing the same online learning that you all have access to at home. We have been regularly expanding these pods according to Government and LCC advice and our own Risk Assessments. You should also be aware that this form of online learning will continue as we expand the number of children we can have in school. **This means that you will need to ensure that you child is regularly accessing Class Dojo.**

We are now in a position to be able to open further for Year 6 and so would like to invite these children back into school in the following way:

- 29.06.20 - 3.07.20 – Year 6 pupils going to OLCC and Dallam to attend school.
- 06.07.20 – 10.07.20 – Year 6 pupils going to Ripley and Carnforth to attend school.
- 13.07.20-17.07.20 – All Year 6 to attend school.

If you haven't already, please can Year 6 parents complete the Registration Attendance Form on Parent APP by the Friday before their child attends school.

During this time, children who are already accessing school as children of Key Workers and vulnerable children will continue to attend as normal. This morning you will have received notification of a survey. We are continuing to plan for further opening for pupils but need to know whether you require provision. We will contact parents/carers in due course with details of this arrangement.

I appreciate how hard it has been throughout the lockdown. I assure you that as a school, we are doing our best to help get as many children as possible back into the building. At the same time, I need to ensure we are following all safety guidelines to keep children and staff safe.

There are two aspects that you must consider:

1. If you request a place for your child in school, they must **be in full time from the date** you have requested. Other parents need spaces in school and if you request a place and then don't send your child, you are stopping another child from coming to school.
2. You must **post learning on the Class Dojo**. It is vital that your child's learning is shared with your child's teacher so that we can continue to support you all during this time. I expect to see at least one post per child each day.

Many thanks for your continued support and please continue to look after yourselves and each other.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher