Essex County Council Stebbing Primary School

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Friday 22nd May 2020

Dear parents,

At the end of this half-term I just wanted to write to you all to address a few issues before we begin our phased return to school after half-term .

I want to ensure key information is absolutely clear for all families. We had a possible 64 children who had the option to return. Only 23 children will be joining us on either a full or part-time basis.

Families who have opted not to send their children back to school straight after half-term will have the opportunity to amend their decision from 15th June 2020.

As previously stated in all correspondence, school **WILL NOT** look the same. Please see bullet points below to ensure you are aware of what school will look like:

- -Children will be at their own workstation for most of their time in school
- -Children will be socially distanced from peers and adults
- -Children will have some time outside but WILL NOT have the usual play equipment available
- -Children will eat their lunch at their workstation
- -Children will have one block of toilets to use
- -Children may not be with adults they know
- -Children must adhere to social distancing rules

If you feel your child will not cope with these measures then please consider whether it is safe to send them in.

Your children's health and wellbeing is paramount as well as the health of wellbeing of our staff.

This is the most serious and critical role I have ever had to play as a Headteacher and I want to stress how vital it is that all of these measures are adhered to.

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The *Guide to returning to school for families*, the *Code of Conduct*, *a video detailing what school will look like* and the *social story* (already on DOJO) will be shared with families soon.

I wish you all an enjoyable bank holiday.

Kind regards,

Miss Mawson Headteacher