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Dear Parents

Thank you for your support and understanding as we move forward with our phased re-opening.

On Tuesday the 2nd of June, in-line with government guidance, children whose parents are Key Workers have been prioritised and we will be welcoming more children into school. Numbers have been restricted to keep everyone safe. Parents with children who have a place in school should have received text confirmation.

Unfortunately, we have not been able to accommodate some who have requested a place for their child. I will continually review our risk assessment and any updated guidance from the Government, offering more places as and when it is safe to do so.

Now that all Key Worker children who wanted a place have been accommodated, I will prioritise Year 6, Year 1 and Reception children. Please contact us if you would like to request a place, if one becomes available.

I would like to reassure those of you who continue to support your children with home learning that staff timetables allow for teachers to prepare materials and support you and your child.

Children attending school will follow a timetable similar to the suggested one found on our website. Children in Year 6 will be focussing on transition activities which are accessible to children learning at home.

We are planning to provide more learning packs for children at home for whom accessing on-line resources is difficult and look at creative ways we can communicate directly with more children.

Teachers of children in Nursery and Reception will continue to be able to communicate directly with parents through Tapestry.

On the school website, under curriculum - supporting your child, we continue to provide useful websites to support home learning, e-safety and your child's well-being which is regularly updated.

All previous letters can be found on our website:

<http://www.northburn.northumberland.sch.uk/website>

Take care and stay safe

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