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Dear Parents/Carers

COVID-19 School Update

I am sure like me, many of you will have watched the Prime Minister's address to the nation on Sunday evening. You will have heard the Prime Minister indicating that the government believes it may be in a position to implement a phased re-opening of schools from the 1 June, starting with children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 6. This is part of the government's conditional plan which it says will remain under regular review. I am therefore primarily writing to advise you that we are currently waiting to receive more information from the government and Tameside LEA about exactly what this means for our school. Until this is available, things obviously remain unchanged and I will provide you with further information as and when I am able to do so.

Welfare Calls

All welfare calls were undertaken last week and I hope you found them useful. Any concerns that you raised during these calls were passed to me and have been dealt with. Please remember that you can always get in touch using the email address: admin@st-annes-denton.tameside.sch.uk

Home Learning

Feedback from the welfare calls indicated that the remote learning package is working well. Remember to continue to access your child's work on a daily basis via ClassDojo. Should you wish to share work then please do so on this platform. I know the teachers have been impressed with the quality of some of the work produced. Remember you can also find links to useful websites, providing home learning on the school website, under the Curriculum tab.

Free School Meals

The voucher system now appears to be working more effectively and qualifying families are now in receipt of their £15 per child per week vouchers. If you believe that you are entitled to free school meals or your circumstances have recently changed, please contact Tameside council or email the admin address.

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Library Service

Tameside libraries may be shut but children and adults can still get FREE ebooks, audiobooks and magazines straight to a phone, laptop or tablet, as well as websites that can help with learning from home. To join follow the link below:

https://www.tameside.gov.uk/libraries/

Finally

As always, thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions regarding your child's learning or wellbeing, please continue to use the email address shared above and someone will contact you.

We look forward to seeing you all as soon as it is safe to do so! In the meantime continue to look after yourselves and we wish you all well.

Yours sincerely

Kirsty Rimmer Headteacher









