

Eversley Primary School



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Dear Parents / Carers

Wider onsite school offer

We are currently following the DfE guidance and have provided a full time onsite school offer to Reception, Years 1 and 6 alongside continued provision for critical worker and vulnerable children. Schools have been provided with the flexibility to invite additional pupils back where they have capacity to do so, without stopping the provision for any of the prioritised year groups. It is important to note that there is no expectation on primary schools to take back additional children during the last four weeks of term. Unfortunately, with all available teachers and classrooms currently in use, we are unable to offer onsite provision for any other year groups for the remainder of this term.

As we are not able to invite more children to return to school, we have been planning how we can organise some face to face meetings for all year groups so that all children have an opportunity to come into school to meet their new teacher. Therefore, to accommodate this and support transition and re-integration before September, the end of term for children currently onsite will be **Wednesday 15th July**, except for critical worker and vulnerable children. We will provide details of how children will meet up with their new teacher as soon as we are able.

In the meantime, you can continue to expect Home Learning plans and other resources as well as regular communication. Before the end of the summer term you can also expect an end of year school report and the opportunity to discuss this. We will be undertaking many transition activities for example:

- New teacher information and school overview will be emailed to all parents.
- New teacher and new class email and introductory activities for children
- An onsite face to face transition meeting for children or if preferred a pre-recorded video
- A pupil profile for completion at home
- Virtual meeting and information sharing for parents of new Reception children
- Transition work between teachers and secondary schools for Year 6 pupils

We recognise that the Coronavirus outbreak will have a significant impact on transitions for all children and their families.

Over the next few weeks, we will be beginning to plan for September and beyond, including a farewell reunion for our Year 6 leavers. We are still waiting for further clarification from the government about how schooling will look in September and will update everyone as soon as we are able to.

Regards.

Mrs Pepper
Headteacher