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Dear Parents/Carers,

Following our Governing Board meeting this week, with regard to the re-opening of school, we will initially be prioritising the growing "Key- Worker and Vulnerable" groups, from week commencing 1<sup>st</sup> June. We will then open to Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 from week commencing 15<sup>th</sup> June. Pending a school review, we will then open our offer for other year groups from week commencing 29<sup>th</sup> June. Please see our Roadmap which explains and details more information about this.

The Local Authority are aware of these measures and support us in property care, as well as our LA Adviser who regularly meets with Senior Leaders and the Chair of Governors to review the school's position. Our priority is as always the health, safety and well-being of pupils and parents.

As previously explained, we are re-opening once essential maintenance works have been carried out. Following protocols and procedures, this work is taking longer than anticipated. The "Key- Worker and Vulnerable" group will not be affected by this. If you are a key worker and would like a place, then please contact [lgreen@hestersway.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:lgreen@hestersway.gloucs.sch.uk). You will be asked to fill in a form to secure your keyworker status. We then need to agree the place and organise for your child to join us. Please see the Government's Key Worker categories attached.

As well as the Road Map and Key Worker categories, please find attached:

- HWPS SHE Risk Assessment
- Home School Agreement
- Annex to the Behaviour Policy
- Annex to Staff Conduct.

Details for specific year group "Bubble" groups, staffing, "drop off" and collection and will be sent to parent/carers of year groups, nearer to your child's starting date.

Teachers are preparing work packs and you will be contacted by text for the date/time that your child's home learning work pack can be collected. We have planned work for the term and these can be collected, at set intervals, for your child.

We appreciate your continued support and patience, during this challenging time. If you have any questions or queries please contact either [admin@hestersway.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:admin@hestersway.gloucs.sch.uk) or [head@hestersway.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:head@hestersway.gloucs.sch.uk). We look forward to seeing you all very soon!

Kind regards,

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(Head Teacher)

