

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING THE REOPENING OF SCHOOLS

Dear Parents/Guardians

I hope you are all well during this very difficult time. Although the Welsh Government guidance is still to be published on Wednesday we would like to have an indication of how many pupils will be coming back to school.

Please find below two links to questionnaires.

Link 1 - is to ascertain which of the two options key worker parents will choose. Please only complete this questionnaire if you are a key worker and have no other option with regards to childcare. Children who have attended the Ysgol Estyn Hub will be allocated the limited spaces first.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Ug4_TzS3ZEGUCRtgHRR5k4KcbpcFCzRNlqyBBiKGpuJUM0gzTDk3UIZMMVZBVTNYQVM1UKIGVEVGOC4u

Link 2 - is to ascertain which parents are planning on sending their children back to school from 29th June. I would like to remind parents that the Minister confirmed this is only to 'Catch Up, Check in and Prepare in readiness for September and the 'New Normal'.

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School sees these weeks as an opportunity to catch up with some pupils and prepare staff, parents and pupils for how school may or may not be working come September.

For planning purposes could you please complete the relevant questionnaires by 12pm Thursday 11th June. If we do not receive a response we will assume that you are not sending your children back before the summer and will not be included within our plans.

Once again I do apologise for this non-negotiable nature and realise that it is not my usual approach. However, the health and wellbeing of all children and staff is paramount in the re opening of our school. By managing the re opening of school in this manner I believe I am keeping the risk to a minimum and therefore reducing the likelihood of your children, loved ones and staff contracting the virus.

If your child or someone in your home has received a shielding letter they should not return to school.

Thank you for your continued support, as always, it means a great deal to my staff and I.

Richard Jones
Headteacher