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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you are all keeping well and managing to find some time to enjoy the sunny weather.

From Tuesday 30th June we will be welcoming back the year 6 pupils that have already requested places. We are able to do this because we now have the required numbers of staff available and we are really pleased to be able to welcome some of the pupils back before they leave Wheatfields. Letters will be sent on Monday to 6A and 6B explaining entrances and exits to the school site to adhere to social distancing for your child. Mrs Vickers will be teaching Bubble 6B on Tuesday 30th prior to Mr Streeter's return on Wednesday 1st July.

Both of our Keyworker bubbles are FULL. We can only apologise to those parents now in need of a place. Unfortunately we do not have any staff available to open any more bubbles. We currently have:

Class 1 bubble - 1 space Class 2 bubble - FULL Class 3 bubble - 1 space Class 4 bubble - 1 space Year 6A - 1 space Year 6B - 2 spaces

Please email <u>office@wheatfields.cambs.sch.uk</u> should you wish to take up an available space if there is one. First come, first served.

It is important to us that everyone stays safe. As we welcome more pupils onsite it is vital that parents only enter the school premises during the allotted times. I appreciate that this has been difficult for some parents but these arrangements are part of our risk management plan and are in place in order to maintain social distancing and keep everyone safe. Unfortunately the virus has not gone away.

The deadline for sending in transition information has now closed. The information we have received will be forwarded to the new class teacher to aid transition. Thank you for your support with this.

Things to look out for next week are:

- A letter about Story Bubbles which is a chance for your child to come into school and be with their current teacher and friends (at a social distance) for a 30 minute session
- An invitation to participate in our Virtual Sports day!
- · Your child(s) school report (posted to you on Friday 3rd July)
- · A letter about an activity booklet for the new teacher















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Home learning activities will be on the website as usual. Please do keep sending in your photos of the children and thank you again for all that you are doing to support home learning at this incredibly challenging time. Please do what is best for you and your family and keep in touch with your child's teacher using the class@ email addresses.

Finally some lovely news – Mrs Verney-Davies and Mrs Cleghorn are expecting babies this year. Congratulations to them both!

I hope you have a lovely weekend and stay safe. Thank you for your continued support for everything we have done and we are trying to do during this pandemic. We are looking forward to seeing as many of you as we can over the next couple of weeks.

Best wishes,

Theresa Thornton Headteacher

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