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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you had a peaceful and enjoyable Easter. The Summer term is underway at Wheatfields!

The Government has announced that lockdown will continue for three more weeks, with another review on 7th May. There has been speculation in the press about schools re-opening after that date, but the Secretary of State for Education has said that no decision about that has yet been made. The Local Authority assures me that any re-opening will be carefully planned and schools will be supported to make sure that children's return to school is managed safely, however that may be.

The teachers have been very busy preparing new activities and work for your children to do at home. Week 3 is now available for each year group.

It can be found using this link https://www.wheatfields.cambs.sch.uk/website/year_group_homework/460763 School remains open to our keyworker children and the staff are doing a great job in ensuring that home learning activities are completed for these children as well as some more creative sessions during the afternoons.

You can also email your child's teacher using the [class@ email addresses](#) which can be found on the website using this link: <https://www.wheatfields.cambs.sch.uk/website/introduction/462342> Scroll down the Introduction page to contacting Class Teachers by email.

The Government has published advice about learning at home: https://u11072147.ct.sendgrid.net/ls/click?upn=V-2FTAVwugkX4ThoyzcKYGxw3mEvrPIZgWimklrDd8Tf-2FpFjwCWKiXx5B00LWdGMRcAY6q1nGTmVqHLNubNHbgKOWeVt081XSubgtzZ4eKYf2udaVFSaEa8MvyTkztFDOhcQjLv8BI6ikcwF7LGzRaA-3D-3DEJpB_ASsSWLztl9TtDJR3DpypczBs2stTYqyrnsKBjgYlllRjwQkaxMtM7-2FBAiMcvZTwNxayXmzHf791ayl5ao36ymPasQuP-2BRObfpPRmjk8Kqivnynpg5LwoxdBzTwhfpuSrAg4gcB9bqf6drIpGHb-2BWpSdv46o5OWmkH9BaNHGQ9IZ13XOq6YvdgXhis5RhLfBlk0brGmp-2B27F7y4sVhhBtKQwyUHjIG3esEhSH-2BR37GEeA6O3fTHiZJqjx0cV-2BqXS

I have also attached a poster about when to take your child to see a doctor – the authorities are concerned that people may stay away from doctors for fear of overloading the health service, but it is important to ensure that you still access medical advice if you need it. Also, Mrs Moffat sent out a letter recently about changes in circumstance for your family and the possibility that you may be eligible for free school meals. I attach it again in case your circumstances have changed and you are now eligible. There is a link to the online application in the letter.

Should you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact me using office@wheatfields.cambs.sch.uk

Best wishes and stay safe!

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