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Dear Parent/Carer,

As alluded to in my letter last week, it had been my intention to provide you with the finer details around pupil groupings this week – following the Deputy First Minister's announcement in Parliament on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June, those plans have been pushed back and indeed we are now working towards bringing **all** pupils back to school in August 2020.

Over the recent period we have worked tirelessly to prepare for a blended model approach and thus I wish to reassure you that said contingency plans are in place should they be necessary.

The First Minister is due to give her next update on Education on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July – I will endeavour to provide you with more information after this briefing.

In the meantime, please keep checking our Twitter and School Website. Furthermore, please ensure that you have downloaded the Expressions app if you have not already done so – we will be issuing you with more details throughout the course of the summer.

Have a wonderful summer break and we look forward to seeing you all in August!

Yours sincerely,

*Lizzie Sloan*

Head Teacher



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