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Dear Parent/Carer,

On 10<sup>th</sup> May, the Prime Minister announced the wider reopening of schools for children in Reception, year 1 and year 6; this was confirmed in a further announcement on Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> May.

In light of these announcements, St Francis' has planned for the reopening and has put very robust risk assessments in place in order to make the children's return as safe as possible. We had planned a phased return from Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> June with year 6, followed by year 1 (Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> June) and Reception (Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> June).

However, in light of the recent communication from the Mayor of Newham regarding the reopening of Newham, we have decided that despite being ready and standing by our robust risk assessments, we feel it is also important to react in line with our local community. **As a result, we will delay the wider re-opening of St Francis' for Reception, year 1 and year 6. We will review this next week and will be in touch with you with an update by Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> June.**

We will continue with the current key worker and vulnerable children provision that has been in place since the school closed.

I apologize for any inconvenience that this change has caused and we look forward to welcoming back the children in the near future.

I pray that you and your family remain safe and well.

Kind regards,

N Scott  
Head Teacher



Headteacher: Ms Natasha Scott

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