

Benson Community School

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Information for parents of children returning to school on Monday 8th March 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

We thank you for your patience and understanding as we've been making preparations to reopen the school to all pupils. The staff are looking forward to welcoming children back to school and are busy getting things ready.

We have completed the local authority risk assessment and this is now available on our website.

Please be aware that COVID-19 virus is still with us. When you come to school you **MUST** maintain social distance from other families. This is a really important way that we can help manage risks of the virus spreading.

We will be providing a catch up programme of support for your child over the next few weeks and this will be tailored to their needs. Staff will be providing a variety of activities to help your child settle back into school.

Activities include:

- Wellbeing activities
- Regular 1:1 reading
- Phonics
- Recapping basic skills, e.g. times tables and number bonds
- Writing
- Maths
- Science
- History
- Geography
- RE
- Computing
- Design and Technology
- Music
- PSHE
- Sport

We have several themed weeks or days planned, including:

- Book Week
- Science Week
- Red Nose Day
- Census Day
- Art Week

Please remember attendance is compulsory and essential so that your child can get back into normal routines. We are here to support you and your child. If you have any concerns please get in touch. Additional information is provided in the Parent Handbook (on our website).

We are really looking forward to seeing you all on Monday 8th March.

Kind regards,

Mrs Dennis
Head Teacher