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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope that you and your children have been able to enjoy the summer holidays together whilst school has been closed.

As I mentioned before we broke up I am writing to you to update you further about our return to school in September.

We are now in a position to confirm the arrangements for our return to school in September. In doing this we have ensured we are following the latest guidance from the Department for Education. This has also been approved by the central leadership team at CIT our Multi Academy Trust.

I have provided a summary which I hope you will find useful.

Perhaps most importantly it is possible to confirm it is now **no longer necessary for pupils to isolate should they have been in contact with anybody who has tested positive for COVID-19.**

As such **your child should continue to attend school unless NHS Test and Trace contact you.** As at all other time - should your child develop any COVID-19 symptoms then you should:

- Ensure that a PCR test is taken.
- Ensure your child self isolates until the result is given.
- Await a negative result. Then if your child no longer has symptoms they should return to school.
- Isolate as told by test and trace if the result is positive.

We cannot wait to see the children back in school next Thursday at 8.45am

Yours sincerely,

Graham Almond
Headteacher