## WESTBURY-ON-SEVERN C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Children,

I do hope you are all well. Thank you for all your hard work at home over the last 10 weeks, and for all the amazing work you have completed. I have really enjoyed looking at the lovely learning on Instagram.

I wanted to write to you because there have been some changes that you might have heard about. The main change is that the Prime Minister, Mr. Johnson, has decided that it is the right time for some of you to come back to school. This is good news. However, it doesn't mean that all of you will be coming back to school just yet.

Mr Johnson has said that to begin with, children who are in Reception, Year 1 or Year 6 can come back to school first, along with some of the children who have parents called key workers. He hopes that more of you might be able to come back later in the term, but that depends on how well we are all doing at keeping safe at home and helping to stop the nasty Coronavirus.

It might seem sad that some of you can't come back to school and it does make me sad and all the adults in school, that we won't see you for a while longer. But I want you to know that we are thinking of you all and very pleased that you are still safe with your fantastic parents.

Because we are now moving to a time when more of you are coming back to school, it is really important that if you are still staying at home, you keep up your home-learning. So, I want you to help me by remembering to do your daily tasks each day, your reading, Kahn Academy (if you do that) and any other work that is set by your teachers, including some sort of physical exercise. Mrs Sim and Mrs Hansen are still working with Mrs Roseblade-Bargh and Miss Wills, to make sure you have plenty of learning to do, whether you are at home or at school. Even though the sun is still shining, you have to keep doing your home-learning!

As Mrs Sim and Mrs Hansen have to keep very safe at the moment, they are working hard at home too, and not in school; just like you! Because Mrs Roseblade-Bargh and Miss Wills are working hard teaching in school now, I am asking Mrs Sim and Mrs Hansen to keep in touch with you a lot more. They will decide the best way to do this, but I expect it will be via video conferencing and lots of emails. During those meetings you can talk about your homelearning and maybe ask questions. You could also email them questions too! If they cannot answer your questions, they will be able to ask Mrs Roseblade-Bargh or Miss Wills for the answers. When you send in your work, they will also be looking very carefully at it.

I am also going to try and have conference calls with some of you to talk about your home-learning, and what you have been doing. I look forward to that.

In the meantime, keep working hard, remember our school Christian values, be kind and be good for your parents; they are working EXTREMELY hard too! Remember how proud I am of you all and keep those lovely smiles on your faces.

See you soon,

Mr C Headteacher









