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Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you were able to enjoy the fine weather over the bank holiday, although I do understand it continues to be a very challenging time for all of us. I am very pleased to inform you that the site work has continued over half term and the old veranda has been removed.

As I am sure you are aware, secondary schools are planning to reopen from the 15th June and detailed plans are underway as to the provision we will make for our Year 10 students. Following the survey recently conducted with Year 10 parents it is very clear that there are different views about how and what we should do. I also need to take into account the health and well-being of staff as the safety of our pupils and staff is of overriding importance. With that in mind I will share detailed plans with parents following further information and guidance after risk assessments have been undertaken.

The provision for Years 7-9 students is of equal importance and we will continue with the online learning packages which many parents and students have found to be effective. I have included more detail about the Year 9 curriculum as some parents asked for greater clarity about how the option and core curriculum were being delivered. We will continue with our online form activities and our pastoral team will be in regular contact, but please get in touch with us at school if you have any concerns or questions about the coming weeks.

Yours sincerely,

Mr A Fell
Headteacher



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