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Dear Parents/ Carers

Thank you for supporting us with the return of some pupils to school. Reception, Year 1, Year 6 and children of keyworkers are adapting well to their new routines and plans are underway to welcome some of our Nursery children back next week.

The safety of all pupils and staff is our absolute priority. Due to the increasing number of requests for pupils to return to school in Early Years, Year 1, Year 6, and key workers we have had to take the decision, at this moment, to cap the number of pupils returning.

This is in line with our detailed risk assessments that clearly highlight maximum room occupancy for each of our protective bubbles and the guidance issued by the government that a cap may be used. The total number of available spaces in each of our year groups is set out below.

	Total spaces	Spaces filled	Spaces available
Key Workers – full time	38	35	3
Reception – full time	34	32	2
Year 1 – full time	38	35	3
Year 6 – full time	29	28	1
Nursery - am slot	5	4	1
Nursery – pm slot	5	4	1

This means that if you have not yet made the decision to send your child back to school in these year groups, we may not be able to accommodate your request. We require 48 hours' notice (not including weekends) and pupils will be allocated to bubbles on a 'first come, first served' basis with the earliest start dates taking priority, until the bubbles are full. Once the bubbles are full, we will operate a waiting list and inform you if and when a space becomes available. The decision to return your child, in Reception, Year 1 and Year 6, is on a full-time basis only. Please note that Nursery will operate a morning slot or an afternoon slot only. Requests must be made by email to admin@beanfieldprimary.org or by contacting the school on 01536 262000.

We will be constantly assessing the situation, following the latest government advice but please be aware our detailed risk assessments will always be our final point of reference in order to ensure we accommodate our pupils in a safe and sustainable manner.

Please be reassured that we will keep you up to date as circumstances change and for those children in years 2, 3, 4 and 5 we will continue to maintain our home learning offer which can be accessed via the home learning tab on the parent information section of our website (www.beanfieldprimary.org).

Thank you as always for your continued support,

Samantha Eathorne
Associate Principal

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