

**FRANK WISE  
SCHOOL**

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Dear Families,

It has been wonderful seeing almost 100% of pupils back at school this week, including some of those who we have not seen for a considerable period of time. The sound of children, excited to be in school and seeing their friends, has been filling the playgrounds.

As you would expect, we have reviewed our risk assessments and processes in light of the updated Government guidance, and the changes to the way in which we are working. Whilst nothing fundamental has changed you can read the updated documents here - <https://frankwise.oxon.sch.uk/professionals/policies-statements-and-reports/>

In terms of more general information, we are hopeful that it may be possible for some classes to get off site in the coming weeks and months, with the Griffiths Centre leading the way with the restarting of some parts of their off-site learning.

We are also restarting movement swimming for those pupils who need access to hydrotherapy, and we will be in touch with those families who that will affect to let them know what day to send kits in. If things go according to plan, and we don't suffer any ongoing disruption to staffing levels, then we are hoping that we may be able to offer some whole class fun sessions in the pool before the end of the term.

If you are bringing your child in to school yourselves currently, please can we ask that you do not come on to site until 3:00. We are aware that sometimes vehicles are following in staff members who have opened the gate, but we will not have anyone available to monitor traffic flow around the site until 3:00, which is necessary to ensure the safety of the pupils. We may also need to actively manage some of the parking for a period of time, possibly making greater use of the area around the GC, as we have some extra vehicles collecting children due to changes in transport arrangements.

We are hopeful that things will continue to settle and we can keep making small steps towards a greater sense of normality. However, if you have any questions at all, then please do not hesitate to contact us and we will happily do our best to answer them.

Kind Regards



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