



# Abbey School

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Dear Families,

I hope you managed to have a great bank holiday weekend and albeit socially distanced, your VE Day celebrations brought you some light relief from the day to day circumstances that we find ourselves in.

Like you I have only just seen the Prime Ministers announcement last night and at this stage I cannot answer many of the questions that you may have. I am waiting to receive more information from Government about what the new updates mean for our school. It is suggested that only the very youngest children will be back before the Summer break. However, it is worth reminding you all that in the short-term, nothing has changed from the 'new norm of virtual teaching!' I will provide further information in the coming days and weeks once I am able to do so.

If you do find your family circumstances have changed please do let your child's class team know during the weekly phone call so that we can sign post you to the relevant support network. **The clear message is still that the vast majority of children are safer at home during this pandemic.**

Please be assured that your child's health and the health of staff and associated families is the most important thing to me in making any decisions I may have to take.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs Luci Windle

Executive Headteacher

