

St Matthew Academy

St Joseph's Vale, Blackheath, London SE3 0XX

Headteacher: Ms Miranda Baldwin

Head of Primary: Ms Joanna Chick



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Dear Parents and Carers,

RE: Re-opening Primary.

I hope that you and your families are all well and enjoyed the lovely bank holiday.

I am sure that most of you watched the Prime Minister's address on Sunday night and have many questions regarding schools reopening for primary pupils. At this stage we are still awaiting complete clarification from the government on how this will be put into place, so cannot answer all questions. The safety of our pupils, parents and staff is of paramount concern to us and once clear guidance has been delivered we will send out further information over the coming days. Until June 1st we must all continue to follow the lockdown rules and stay safe.

While we await clarification from the government and local authority on returning to school, it would be helpful to know how many parents are considering sending their children to school once it is an option. It is particularly important to get the views of parents and carers of children in Reception, year 1 and year 6.

To enable us to use your views as a starting point for our plan to re-open we ask that you complete this survey <https://forms.gle/obkwmG3UC8PG6Udq8> by 3.00pm on Friday 15 May 2020.

Thank you all for your continued support.

Kind regards

Ms J Chick

Head of Primary