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Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

### **Whole School Re-opening Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March**

It is great news that all children will be returning to school on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March. This was originally an INSET day, but we have moved this to Friday 5<sup>th</sup> March to allow staff to prepare rooms and planning. We are looking closely at developing mental health and wellbeing, not just for the immediate term but learning how to deal with different feelings and how to manage them in the future.

School start and finish times from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March are detailed below. If you have more than 1 child at this school your child may enter their class at the earliest time e.g. if you have a child in Year 2 and Year 1 they both start at 8.50am – finish times will be as set out below. Children can bring their book bag, water bottle and coats.

	Starting	Finishing
Year 2	8:50am	3.05pm
Year R	9:00am	3.10pm
Year 1	9:10am	3.15pm

### **Rainbow Day**

The school will be holding Rainbow Day on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March. Please send your children in wearing as many bright colours as possible, maybe showing off some funky hair styles and wearing odd socks. The crazier the better to bring some extra fun and excitement to the children returning to school.

### **World Book Day**

World Book Day is Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> March, this year we will not be dressing up so the children will need to come in wearing their uniform. There will however be plenty of activities related to World Book Day for the children to take part in.

### **Parents' evening**

We are planning to hold parents' evening within the first two weeks back after Easter. We will send out more details closer the time.

### **School assemblies and dinners**

The guidance states we must avoid large gatherings of more than one group therefore we will be conducting assemblies through Zoom. Children will be given a packed lunch in their classroom and this will be reviewed at Easter – this is free for all children (**please see menu**). If you wish you can send in your own packed lunch.

### After school clubs

We are able to restart all before and after school clubs, including Creative Kidz, to help working parents. They will operate in year group bubbles only (**Details to follow**).

### Uniform and PE days

School uniform is required for all pupils. If it is a PE day they need to wear jogging bottoms/leggings and appropriate footwear e.g. trainers into school.

Year R PE Monday

Year 1 PE Tuesday and Wednesday

Year 2 PE Thursday and Friday

### Face coverings and one-way system

All adults are requested to wear face coverings and maintain social distancing whilst on the school site. The one-way system remains in place (entering Glenfield Crescent and leaving via Rossington Way). Please try and only arrive at your given drop off and collection time to avoid large crowds gathering.

### Enhanced cleaning and handwashing

The school will continue to ensure children are washing their hands frequently. We are very proud of our amazing cleaning team who work tirelessly each day keeping us all safe. This will continue to be the case.

Glenfield Spring Lunchbox Menu from Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> March 2021					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
MEAT OPTION 1	Sausage roll	Ham & tomato sandwich	Turkey & salad wrap	Chicken & salad baguette	Fish finger bap
VEGGI OPTION 2	Vegan sausage roll	Cheese & cucumber sandwich	Cheese salad wrap	Egg mayo baguette	Cheese pizza
GREEN OPTION 3	Pasta pot	Pasta pot	Pasta pot	Pasta pot	Cheese & salad baguette
Includes:	All packed lunches include: fresh fruit, carrot/cucumber sticks, a freshly made pudding and a bottle of fruit juice or milkshake (Friday).				

**ALLERGY INFORMATION:** If your child has an allergy or intolerance please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of cross contamination.

Yours sincerely

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Co-Headteachers