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17th April 2020,

Dear Parents / Carer,

RE: Virtual Opening /Asbestos Removal / Boiler Works

Your child's teacher / class staff should have made contact with you and this will continue on a weekly basis. We have been very grateful of families informing the school with what your child has been undertaking at home during this difficult time.

Works have been progressing on the school's asbestos removal and boiler works. Unfortunately, due to the Covid-19 circumstances, the building contractors have not been able to work at the anticipated pace due to challenges with gaining the relevant supplies.

The asbestos removal has also been commissioned to another company that has a sufficient Covid-19 policy, ensuring they work with correct social distancing. This currently means the school will be without hot water and heating until this work is finalised.

Therefore, the predicted date for the school building to be in a position to open is **Monday 4th May 2020**. We will continue to review this situation.

Due to the Government's announcement on Thursday 16th April 2020 and extending the lockdown, we will need to review the position of when the school opens in line with Public Health England, the Department for Education and Birmingham City Council. Therefore, the safest place for children is at home, until the government guidance changes.

Over the Easter period, the school has been investigating a whole school electronic platform. This will allow work to be set, marked and supported virtually. We will send out more information about this in coming weeks.



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We all send our regards and best wishes during this challenging time. Please continue to update and communicate with us.

Many thanks

Yours sincerely

Chris Wilson

Interim Head teacher with executive powers



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