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Update on New Guidance from Durham County Council.

Proposed Phased Re-Opening as of 1st June 2020

Dear Parents,

I sent out detailed guidance last Friday 29th May regarding our school approach to the proposed re-opening of schools from 1st June onwards.

At the time I said that any information we would send out as a school may be subject to change as and when we received further detail from the Government or Durham Local Authority.

We have been made aware today of a press release that Durham County Council are sending out on 27/05/20 which states that because of new report evidence and SAGE Report findings they are now advising schools NOT to re-open with a wider phased return to school on 1st June 2020. We have now been asked to plan for a phased return as from Monday 15th June.

The position for children of Key Workers and Vulnerable children remains the same as it has been for the past number of weeks. WE ARE STILL OPEN from Week Beginning Monday 1st June for these children and their families should this provision be required. Please contact Mrs Walker on s.walker200@wittonlewear.net Tel: 07766244561 should you need to access this provision.

We will continue to give you immediate updates as and when further information and guidance becomes available,

Best Wishes,
Mr. M. Stephenson.

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