

RAVENSDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parents/Carers,

Update Letter – Delay to re-opening

As we said in our previous letters, our re-opening of reception class was conditional. The opening of reception class is unfortunately delayed.

We will not be open to reception class children tomorrow, 2nd June 2020. We apologise for the late notice, but this is beyond our control.

We have been **directed** to defer opening to reception class (and more widely generally) “whilst the LA consider the national information provided this weekend to ensure we have taken all steps necessary to reopen safely.”

This is partly due to joint teaching and non-teaching Union challenges to the national position of wider re-opening of schools (e.g. NEU). You may have seen this on the news.

We will be aiming to re-open reception classes on 8th June 2020, but again will have to update you nearer the time.

- We are completely closed for all children today (Monday 1st June).
- We will be open to keyworker children that have confirmed places with us this week (2nd June onwards).
- We will be open to ‘vulnerable’ children, such as those with an EHCP.
- We are closed to reception class children (unless also confirmed keyworker families).
- We are closed to all others.
- If you hear of other parents that have not got this communication, please encourage them to give us an email address.

I apologise in advance for any inconvenience this may cause some families this week, as I have said, we had no choice.

Kind regards,

Rob Matthews.