



HEADTEACHER'S UPDATE

2nd June 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

I thought I would write to you to update you on the current situation for pupils at Tottenham Infant School following the re-opening of school to more pupils.

This needs to be a measured approach to make it as safe as possible for the school community. We welcomed 8 pupils back to Reception yesterday, together with our vulnerable pupils and key worker pupils. Places have been booked for Year 1 pupils to start next week. **No further pupil places will be given until the week beginning 15th June.**

If you want to request a place for you child, if you have not already done so, please email Jan, the attendance officer at attendance@tottenham.enfield.sch.uk to book a place by Wednesday 3rd at 3pm.

The groups (bubbles) have been created so pupils are with the same pupils all day. We cannot guarantee social distancing will be effective for such young pupils so the idea is the pupils are in a group limited by number.

We currently have over ten members of staff who are not able to attend the workplace so there is more pressure on those who are available to work. We have a staff rota in place until June 12th and it is for this reason we are not able to add pupils to the groups. Teachers are also continuing to support home learning.

We are able to support key workers but this is only for the days they are needed at their place of work and if there is no-one else to look after them. Please contact myself, Zaheen or Shardi to discuss your situation.

In taking this measured approach, together with a detailed risk assessment we are doing our very best to keep our pupils, staff and families as safe as possible.

Please remember:

- Try to avoid using public transport and walk to school
- Only one adult to drop and collect your child
- Stand on the yellow lines

Thank you for your patience and understanding in this most unusual of times.

Kind regards

Sian

