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## **SPRING TERM UPDATE**

We are delighted to be re-opening the school for on-site learning from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March, following the announcement by the Government in February that schools can welcome all pupils back.

It has come as a relief that the optimism regarding the effects of the current lockdown and the vaccination programme has been realised in a decision for children to return to school and all the staff are truly thrilled that we can welcome the children back. The staff at TPS have worked tirelessly to work through the practical arrangements to ensure that we are ready to re-open, and we anticipate offering a full curriculum, along with our extensive extra-curricular programme from the first week back.

During lockdown, it has been amazing to witness the skill and creativity of the teaching staff to adapt to the remote learning model since early January and the children have responded brilliantly, producing truly outstanding work. Indeed, our celebratory assemblies on Fridays have been packed full of wonderful examples, from our youngest pupils in Reception all the way up to the Year 8 boys. It has been great to share these examples and to have a sense of the continuing strength and togetherness of the TPS community.

We are indebted to our parental body for the support we have received throughout this challenging time and for the many positive messages received on the excellent provision in place for the children.

We remain dedicated to being adaptable, creative and resourceful in these challenging times, fully committed to ensure that the children have the best possible provision whether in school or learning remotely.

Yours sincerely,



Oliver Barrett  
Headmaster