

9<sup>th</sup> June 2020

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

I hope that you were able to enjoy the weekend and that you are ready for the week ahead. Many of you will still be learning at home and your school is providing information and learning in the usual ways.

At some of our schools, we have started to extend our offer in a slow and cautious manner and, as I have said, it is for you to decide, if you are one of the year groups that have been identified, if you are comfortable at this time to send your child to school. In the coming days your school will inform you if they are able to extend their existing offer for the week beginning 15<sup>th</sup> June. We have introduced new ways that we are asking you to come into school and to engage with us and I would ask that you continue to make yourself familiar with these so that you are prepared and ready.

As we move forward, there will also be changes to the Free School Meal voucher scheme for those year groups that we are open to. From next week, if the school is open to your year group, the voucher scheme will cease as lunch will be provided at school. However, if you are having difficulty regarding food please contact your school as a matter of urgency and they will review and look at how they can best support you.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your support at this most difficult of times. As always, I am inspired by our children and this community's resilience as we try to make things better for all and I know that by us all working together we will achieve more.

Best wishes,

Paul Harris CEO of The Tapscott Learning Trust





