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### **Letter to parents Friday May 8th 2020**

Dear Parents,

*I hope everyone is well and staying safe at home.*

**VE Day** A reminder that school is closed tomorrow (Friday) for the May bank holiday, marking 75 years since "Victory in Europe Day".

**Ofsted Inspection 2020.** With all that is going on it seems somewhat unimportant to write about our recent inspection. I do however need to make everyone aware that the inspection report is about to be published on Ofsted's website on Monday (11<sup>th</sup>). As a result, I am legally bound to let everyone know how and where they can access a copy of the report. An e-mailed copy will be sent to everyone with this letter and a copy of the full report can also be found on our website in the parents section of the homepage. The report reads well and reflects positively on our school. To all concerned, I would like to offer my congratulations and my heartfelt thanks.

**Key Workers.** *A reminder that school remains open for children of key workers. The advice however remains the same please only use school as a last resort, if children can stay at home then please keep them at home. Staying at home is the most effective way of stopping the spread of the virus and thus allow things to return to normal sooner rather than later. Please stay home if it is at all possible.*

**FSM Vouchers.** Any issues/problems please contact school; leave an answerphone message if no one answers your call. The answer messages are checked regularly and someone will get back in touch with you to help you if you need any support.

**Return to school.** As of yet there is no definite plan as to when we can return to school. There is plenty of speculation and plenty of opinions as to how best to facilitate a return to school. The Prime Minister is talking to us all on Sunday about any plans they may have to gradually ease the current situation. As and when I have an idea as to how this might affect schools, I will write and let everyone know.

**Home Learning** Please keep checking the website for Home Learning updates, please also keep abreast of our twitter feed, which also has some excellent ideas/activities to do at home.

Please stay safe and take care.

M Aldred. Head teacher.



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