

15th June 2020

Dear Parents,

We have managed to bring back all of the groups of pupils we have been directed to do so by the government. Today we have 98 pupils on site which is over 25% of our school. To ensure we are following government guidelines this has taken all available space and staff with 6 bubbles for year 6 pupils and 3 for pupils of key workers and vulnerable pupils. Unfortunately, we have now reached capacity with our pupils of key workers and vulnerable pupils provision and are unable to offer any more places. Throughout the pandemic we have been able to cater for all the families in our school who have needed to access the provision but we are now full, and need to ensure we are keeping our pupils and staff safe. We have started a waiting list and will admit pupils if spaces become available.

Understandably, I can imagine that if you are a parent of a Year 3 ,4 or 5 pupil, not in school you must be feeling anxious about the time they are missing. We will continue to provide home learning on the website, give feedback on work shared by pupils and speak to your child if you sign them up for a phone call. I am hopeful that schools will re-open to all in September so we are able to bring all our pupils back. In the meantime we need to remain positive and we are preparing a curriculum for your child's return to immerse them back into their learning. Children are remarkably resilient and we are preparing as a school to support all pupils returning.

As a school we are receiving the same information at the same time as you from the government and DFE and will, of course use this to action any new guidance given.

Another opportunity has been set up for your child to talk to their teacher. Please remember to sign up to these. Please be aware that the call will either come from our school number (03333 602175) or from a private number.

Wednesday 17th June 6BW (For those not in school)

Thursday 18th June - 3M

Friday 19th June 5WL and 4P

Thursday 25th June 4MF and 6B (For those not in school)

Friday 26th June 5S and 3S

Our pastoral team have their own email set up for you to speak directly with them for advice or support.
studentservices@meonjuniorschool.org.uk

Warm Regards

Mrs Sara Paine