

# HARMONDSWORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL

London Borough of Hillingdon

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### Delayed opening for the Spring Term 2021

Dear Parents / Carers

I hope that you have had a safe and happy Christmas break.

Following the announcement yesterday, from the Education Secretary, we are working through guidance and seeking advice and clarity from the Local Authority regarding the Contingency Framework that was published for Education and childcare settings.

Hillingdon has been identified as one of the London Boroughs where the restrictions set out in the framework apply. **This will mean that at the start of the Spring term we will only be open to children of critical workers and vulnerable children.** We will provide home learning for the children who will not be attending school.

Whilst this is not the start to the Spring Term that we had planned and hoped for, we are now working on the operational and strategic implementation of this latest guidance.

We are going ahead with our INSET day on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January. This will allow us to prepare fully for both the children who will be attending and for those accessing home learning. The Spring term will begin on **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January for children of critical workers and vulnerable children and for those learning at home.**

If you are a critical worker and cannot provide care for your child at home or your child is in any of the vulnerable categories, please complete this survey. <https://forms.gle/CP37nhHSRUdzwQ5T8>  
**We will be in touch on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January with details of the provision we are able to offer these children.**

Many thanks for your ongoing patience, kind words and support.

Kind Regards

Eleesa Dowding  
Headteacher