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Dear parents and carers

Further to my letter on Monday I am writing to parents to gather information regarding the developing of schools' capacity within our Trust.

As you will be aware, the Prime Minister has asked that we endeavour to facilitate the return to school of specific year groups, and in order to begin planning for this, it is necessary to find out more information from parents.

Importantly, we need to know whether it would be your intention to send you child back to school, if a place was available for them. At this time, we are only contacting parents of Reception and Year I parents. School will look very different, and we are planning to extend the work we have done in providing Educare, during the whole crisis period, to all of our settings. All recommended Health & Safety requirements are already in place at Beechwood, and our safe working practices for both children and adults can be developed. We will only develop our provision when it is safe to do so. This will include reviewing the needs and risks of all children to determine if they would be able to engage appropriately in our new school environment.

Initially I am asking you to complete the table below or send an email with your response to info@discoverymat.co.uk. Once we have gathered the information we will then be better able to let you know what capacity we have for developing school provision. We will need your responses by MONDAY 18TH MAY.

Name of Child		My child will be returning to
	Reception or Year	school as soon as a place is
	1?	available. Please write Yes or
		No

Thank you for your support and together with our amazing team I hope that we can support you and your child in developing school provision for you.

With very best wishes

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