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## **Dear Parents and Carers**

I hope that you and your family are well during these difficult and unusual times.

I am writing to inform you that due to the current restrictions and safety measures that still need to be in place within schools including social distancing we currently do not have the capacity to be able to reopen to the children in Years 2,3 and 4.

I understand that this will be disappointing news to you and this is a very difficult time for everyone. As a school we will continue to provide our online learning provision for children in these year groups through the use of our online platform Seesaw. It is wonderful to see the exciting activities that are taking place within your homes at this time.

As a school we continue to recognise that you are most probably trying to support your child whilst working from home, caring for other relatives and trying to maintain as normal a life as possible for your family. Please do not worry if you are unable to complete all of the activities set online for your child. We will continue to set a wide range of work but appreciate that everyone's situation is different.

Please continue to listen to your child read as often as possible, online Oxford Owl allows you access to free online reading books that your child can enjoy. Don't forget to use Numbots or TT Rockstars as appropriate, your child will be able to access these independently as they progress at the level that they are working at.

If you need any support please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Please look after yourselves and your families, take care and stay safe. I will be continually reviewing this situation in-line with any new advice and guidance that is issued by the government and will keep you updated accordingly.

We are all very much looking forward to the time when we can welcome you and your children safely back to St Michael's.

Kind regards

Mrs J Wass Headteacher













