



Friday 29th May 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you know, Glapton Academy is part of the L.E.A.D. Academy Trust. The Trust is responsible for 25 academies across the East Midlands, and is legally responsible for our academy. This means that the decision for reopening of our academy rests with L.E.A.D. Academy Trust.

The safety of pupils, staff and parents is the Trust's main priority.

The Trust had previously directed us to open on June the 1st and all arrangements and risk assessments had duly been undertaken and approved with the safety of your children being the priority.

The following new decisions have now been taken after consideration of the latest government updates. In light of this, the Trust has communicated the following new decisions this afternoon:

- ***the readmission of pupils in YN, YR, Y1 and Y6 will be deferred until at least the week beginning 8th June***
- ***pupils should be readmitted in a phased way so that YN, YR, Y1 and Y6 can be invited back to school in full by Monday 15th June***

These decisions are subject to further review during next week, and are subject to the Trust being satisfied that it is safe to proceed as described above.

We appreciate that you will have been planning for the return to school next week, but the Trust's priority is to keep people safe. The challenges Covid-19 presents, means that decisions are taken based on information as it becomes available - often at short notice. Thank you for your understanding.

For our academy, this means that pupils will **not** be returning to school next week as previously planned. Instead, subject to the Trust considering it being safe to do so, we are planning to readmit some pupils the week beginning Monday 8th June and new arrangements will be confirmed to you on Monday June 1st.

Pupils that are registered for childcare provision will still be able to attend.

Thank you once again for your understanding. The children are our highest priority.

Yours sincerely

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