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Dear Parents & Carers

I hope that you managed to enjoy the sunshine over the Easter holidays despite the current situation. It has been both good and reassuring to hear how things are going for you via contact with teachers and through e-Schools. We will continue to use these means to keep in touch but do also contact us via the school office if we can be of any further support to you.

The announcement of the continuation of the lockdown for at least another three weeks means that things are not resuming to normal anytime soon and while it is necessary, it is also challenging. The school is open for children of key workers and for those pupils whose parents we have been in contact with.

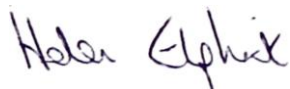
We are continually assessing need on an individual basis, keeping in mind the health and safety of both staff and pupils and their individual needs. We will continue to navigate the ever changing situation as safely and sensitively as possible and aim to fully reopen as soon as it is safe to do so.

I hope that you are continuing to find the home learning activities from teachers helpful. It has been great to see some of the things that your children have been doing at home from cooking to exercise and crafting and I would love to share these with everyone in our newsletter. Please do email any photos that you are happy to be included to Stephen Candy, IT technician at scandy@qe2school.co.uk. I know the children would like to see what their friends have been up to!

Please do keep checking e-Schools and the school website as I know teachers have been very busy preparing activities in line with this term's topics.

Thank you to all of you for everything you are doing to support your children, the school and each other at this difficult time.

Best wishes



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Headteacher