



# George Dixon Primary School

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Dear Families,

I hope, as always, that this finds you and yours safe and well. In speaking with families each week, we are hearing stories of sadness and hardship as well as of resilience and hope. I don't think anyone could have predicted that you would still have your children safe at home with you after all this time.

The school is now as safe as it can be to open to more pupils. We have changed the interior layout of classrooms and are marking the playground with stars so families can be physically distant when they bring children to school.

We will welcome a small number of children into Year 1 on the 15th, and then Reception and Year 6 on the 22<sup>nd</sup>, all being well. Currently we have admitted all of the children who it would be safe to have in school. If you would like a place for your child in the future, we will create a wait list in the next few weeks.

This means that many children will be learning from home for the foreseeable future. We will continue to update the Home Learning section of our website with the home learning grids every two weeks and recommend the daily lessons through BBC Bitesize and The OAK Academy online resources.

In order to support you with your children's learning, we have made email addresses for each year group. If you want some help with any of the learning set, or to share the good work your children are doing (we would love to see pictures of what the children have been up to at home!), please email their class teachers at:

[reception@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk](mailto:reception@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk)

[year1@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk](mailto:year1@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk)

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[year2@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk](mailto:year2@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk)

[year3@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk](mailto:year3@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk)

[year4@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk](mailto:year4@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk)

[year5@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk](mailto:year5@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk)

[year6@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk](mailto:year6@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk)

You can also contact Mrs Hussain, our Special Educational Needs Coordinator at [senco@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk](mailto:senco@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk) if need be.

A final piece of information for you this week from the Education Endowment Foundation about supporting your child with maths at home is linked below. You'll find some helpful suggestions and ideas for games and learning around your home.

<https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/news/blog-supporting-the-learning-of-mathematics-at-home/>

If there is any way in which we can support you further, please use our [enquiry@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk](mailto:enquiry@georgedixonprimary.bham.sch.uk) to contact us or to arrange a call back from us.

Stay safe and well and know we are missing you all!

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "SHOOD". The letters are stylized and slanted to the right.

Mrs Good  
Head Teacher