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## School Provision

Dear families,

Following further government guidance Briarwood school is trying to offer as much provision as possible to those families who want it. As you are aware from previous correspondence, one of our biggest struggles is ensuring there are enough staff on site to provide safe education.

Over the last week we have been assessing the level of provision we can safely offer, with the ambition of being able to offer as many pupils as possible a place at school. This may not be a full time place and we will prioritise the children and young people who are in key worker families and the most vulnerable.

Whilst all pupils at Briarwood have an EHCP and are vulnerable, we have to ensure the safety of both pupils, families and staff and therefore will offer places to the most vulnerable first. This is in line with Local Authority and Government advice as well as our Covid-19 risk assessments. An updated risk assessment can be found on our website.

Our aim is to offer provision for anyone that needs/wants it. Please note we are trying our best to accommodate as close to full time as we can, but we still need to ensure the safety of the pupils and staff.

We are asking families to complete one more questionnaire is to let us know of your ongoing onsite provision decisions. You are welcome to change your mind regarding provision, but ask that you contact you child or young person's teacher or Head of School, or speak to them during a weekly welfare call.

Please take 2 minutes to complete this short form to help us gather this information quickly and plan for the children we need to support in school.

<https://forms.gle/DM3gSgyrAunYL3Ap6>

Many thanks for your continued support



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