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To Key Worker Parents

## **Dear Parent/Carers**

If you are classified as a Critical Worker parent, then this letter is for you.

The definition of a Critical Worker remains the same and can be found here: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-maintaining-educational-provision/guidance-for-schools-colleges-and-local-authorities-on-maintaining-educational-provision#critical-workers</a>

Many of our key worker parents have taken up the offer of a place at school for their children during the COVID19 pandemic. We are tremendously proud of the way that our pupils have adapted maturely and sensibly to the changes made in the school to accommodate their place and know that they are finding it an enjoyable and enriching time.

We are currently evaluating our options on any potential wider opening to more pupils. To help us with our planning, we would be very grateful if you could you please let us know if you think you are likely to take up place(s) at our Critical Key Worker provision during the rest of this summer term up to 17<sup>th</sup> July.

It would be appreciated if you could give us some indication by **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 9am**, via <a href="mailto:ghpsoffice@maidenerleghtrust.org">ghpsoffice@maidenerleghtrust.org</a> if you believe you will need a place.

We understand that some employers who are not yet requiring your attendance at work outside the home, may re-evaluate and ask you to return to working away from home. In this case we would make our best endeavours to support you but we cannot guarantee places.

Once again, I would like to thank you all for the support you have shown the school and the teachers in providing such an excellent provision in such difficult and restrictive circumstances.

Please keep safe.

Yours faithfully,

Richard Ferris Headteacher