## MARJORY KINNON SCHOOL

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## To Parents/Carers

## **Dear Parents & Carers**

I am writing to update you on developments at Marjory Kinnon. We have been running two Year 6 'bubbles' for the past 2-weeks. Year 1 and Year 10 'bubbles' will be starting this week. Once a 'bubble' is set up, it cannot be changed in any way, to minimise the risk of transmission. This is part of the school Risk Assessment compiled in conjunction with the Local Authority and based on Government advice. Therefore, we cannot now take extra Year 6 or Year 1 pupils - these bubbles are closed and we do not have the staffing capacity to set up more bubbles.

We continue to have a group/bubble of keyworker pupils that have been in from the start of the lockdown. We have constantly endeavoured to keep Marjory Kinnon open despite the severe shortages of staff due to shielding letters or severe underlying medical conditions, childcare and transport issues.

We will be offering a Summer Play Scheme and a catch-up programme for learning for some of our pupils. If your child is eligible, you will receive further details in due course. Catch-up programmes for learning will be in place for the autumn term.

We are hoping that things continue to improve, so that we can welcome back all our pupils in September.

Yours faithfully

Tracy Meredith Headteacher

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