

# St Monica's R.C. High School

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Dear Parents and Carers

I can now officially welcome you to the Autumn term. Today our staff have been back on site to prepare for the return of your child to school over the coming week. Further guidance regarding school reopening was shared with schools over the weekend. In the main this clarified actions that schools are taking, but also made clear what would happen were there to be more localised lockdowns. We are now in the process of planning for this eventuality in case that it is needed. I have included the link to this guidance below just for your information.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/how-schools-can-plan-for-tier-2-local-restrictions/how-schools-can-plan-for-tier-2-local-restrictions>

Included with this letter is a short presentation that details what school will be like when your child returns. Please can I ask that you look carefully through this presentation, and talk with your child about our expectations. We are hopeful that we can prepare the pupils as best we can prior to their return. Should your child display any symptoms of COVID-19 then they should not be sent into school.

Finally, as the school has now converted to Academy status, we will today begin the process of recruiting two parents to join the Local Governing Board. Included with this letter is information about the role of Local Governor and the information that you require should you wish to put yourself forward for this role. Please can any nomination forms be returned to [h.collier@stmonicas.co.uk](mailto:h.collier@stmonicas.co.uk) by 12:00 pm on Tuesday September 8<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours faithfully

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