Dear Parents/Carers,

Well, finally we have the news so many people have been waiting for, the corner is turned and we are ready to reopen! After months of stop-start, tiers, risk assessments, late night reading, watching the news, listening to press conferences and commons announcements, schools are ready to reopen – in full! And that mean's wrap around childcare is ready to reopen as well. Whilst you are reading this we will be busy reading the new 'protective measures' and updating our risk assessments.

The government has made it clear that as well as missed education, children have also missed play, social opportunities and sports over the last year, which is why here at The Gap Club we are totally committed to bringing back the high quality play service we are so proud of to as many families as possible.

Our plan is to reopen as many clubs as we physically can, with immediate effect on 8/3/2021, so long as they are viable and following confirmation from our schools.

We feel it is really important for children to get back into their routines as quickly as possible and want to see the children together with friends and get back to having fun.

If you have a current contract with us, don't worry, your place is safe and will be automatically renewed from the first day back for your club. If you need to make any changes to your contract please let us know as soon as possible.

We fully understand the financial impact the last 12 months has had on families and so there may be some families at present who can't commit to a contract, however to support both your child in building back their play experiences and to support The Gap Club in continuing to provide a service we have a range of options for you to choose from, which includes ad hoc places and also our new 'stay and play session'.

The aim of our 'stay and play session' is to 'bridge the gap' that little bit more by giving parents the chance to have an extra hour working from home or some much needed time to make your own plans. The session will be until 4.15pm with a cost of just £5.00 per session.

To support us in spreading the word about the high quality outstanding services that we provide which will support in ensuing our longevity please do follow us on our social media platforms, Instagram, Twitter and Facebook – we are regularly sharing news, photos and updates and it would be great for you to interact with us as well.

You can find these on: Instagram.com/thegapclubltd Twitter.com/thegapclubltd Facebook.com/thegapclubltd

We look forward to seeing you all in a couple of weeks and wish you success with the last two weeks of home schooling.

Many thanks,

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