REOPENING OF CITY OF YORK SCHOOLS

A letter to all staff on behalf of the York Schools and Academies Board (YSAB)

Monday 11 May 2020

Dear Colleague,

We hope that this message finds you safe and well.

York Schools and Academies Board represents schools and

We hope to offer clarity and consistency in the messages we deliver and, consequently, alleviate as much as possible any concerns you might have about the reopening of schools.

We know that over the coming days and weeks, guidance and instruction from the government will both change and develop; the collaborative planning we are currently doing will support the more detailed preparation we need to do to reopen schools.

As school leaders we all acknowledge the importance and seriousness of the decision to reopen schools and it is important to emphasise that we have the safety of students and staff as our priority. At all times we will be guided by Government advice and our key, overriding focus will be to ensure that schools are safe places for