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Boris Johnson speech: PM unveils 'conditional plan' to reopen society allowing people in England to spend more time outdoors from Wednesday.

This is not the time simply to end the lockdown this week
Instead we are taking the first careful steps to modify our measures.
And the first step is a change of emphasis that we hope that people will act on this week.
We said that you **should** work from home if you **can**, and only go to work if you **must**.
We now need to stress that anyone who **can't** work from home, for instance those in construction or manufacturing, **should** be actively encouraged to go to work.
And we want it to be safe for you to get to work. So you **should** avoid public transport if at all possible – because we **must** and **will** maintain social distancing, and capacity **will** therefore be limited.
So work from home if you **can**, but you **should** go to work if you **can't** work from home.
And to ensure you are safe at work we have been working to establish new guidance for employers to make workplaces COVID-secure.
And when you do go to work, if possible do so by car or even better by walking or bicycle. But just as with workplaces, public transport operators **will** also be following COVID-secure standards.
And from this Wednesday, we want to encourage people to take more and even unlimited amounts of outdoor exercise.
You **can** sit in the sun in your local park, you **can** drive to other destinations, you **can** even play sports but only with members of your own household.
You **must** obey the rules on social distancing and to enforce those rules we **will** increase the fines for the small minority who break them.
And so every day, with ever increasing data, we **will** be monitoring the **R** and the number of new infections, and the progress we are making, and if we as a nation begin to fulfil the conditions I have set out, then in the next few weeks and months we **may** be able to go further.
In step two – at the earliest by June 1 – after half term – we believe we **may** be in a position to begin the phased reopening of shops and to get primary pupils back into schools, in stages, beginning with reception, Year 1 and Year 6.
Our ambition is that secondary pupils facing exams next year **will** get at least some time with their teachers before the holidays. And we **will** shortly be setting out detailed guidance on how to make it work in schools and shops and on transport.
And step three - at the earliest by July - and subject to all these conditions and further scientific advice; if and only if the numbers support it, we **will** hope to re-open at least some of the hospitality industry and other public places, provided they are safe and enforce social distancing.

*****The R number** is a key factor in gauging the coronavirus pandemic.
It refers to the 'effective reproduction number' of COVID-19.
An R value of 1 is a crucial threshold.