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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to a new school year. We are delighted that we have almost had a full house today and yesterday. Most year groups have new children starting this term, so we would like to extend a warm welcome to all our new children and families that have recently joined us.

Thank you for your co-operation with the staggered starts and finishes. Please be patient if we make adjustments. KS1 will probably have to change next week as there seems to be a bottle neck at the Wrens door. Details will be confirmed tomorrow about any changes. Please could we remind parents not to congregate on the path outside school or in the car park as it prevents the flow and makes social distancing difficult. Thank you.

Fridays

<u>All</u> children will still need a packed lunch on Fridays. If your child is staying in the afternoon they will need to wear trainers to school as they will be active. KS2 children can be collected at 3:15 from the main gate and KS1 children from Jays door at 3:15 pm.

Contact Details

Please ensure we have at least two emergency telephone numbers and your correct email address. We have had issues recently contacting parents and know that several emails sent via parent mail bounce back. Please let the office know if your details have changed.

Birthday Treats

Due to current restrictions children will not be able to hand out birthday treats to their classmates as they have in the past. This is a temporary measure.

School Packed Lunches

I would like to apologise for not having the new system up and running for school packed lunches. The company have not responded to our emails/calls but we will persist and hope to have it operational for the week beginning September 14th. If you have been receiving supermarket vouchers over the holidays because your child is entitled to free school meals, then you will receive another voucher for next week. Please continue to provide your child with a packed lunch every day. Thank you.

Yours sincerely

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