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Dear Parents/Carers,

The week has been jam-packed with physical activity. Sports week has been a lot of fun and felt truly special on the occasions that we have been able to have the whole school together (socially distanced). I know that you will have been disappointed not to have attended sports day but we still made the occasion as special as we could for the children. There are a lot of photos of the event on the website for you to enjoy and please don't forget to look at your class Seesaw page for other photos of the week. A big thank you to Ava and Lilly's mum for coming in to teach dance on Thursday. This was a highlight for many children and the staff clearly loved it too.

#### **Covid-19 & School**

Covid cases are on the rise again. We have children self-isolating because they have been in contact with someone who has tested positive outside school and a member of staff has tested positive on a LFT (with symptoms). Whilst we are waiting for the result of the PCR, Year 4 and a few members of staff are self-isolating. Please err on the side of caution and do not send your child into school if they have cold symptoms. Thank you.

#### **Arrangements for September**

The Department for Education has stated that bubbles will no longer be necessary in schools from September. I will be writing to you again next week with changes that will take place when we return to school in September.

#### **FOBS Children's Raffle**

Thank you for supporting the FOBS raffle fundraiser. Coloured items can still come in on Monday. Raffle tickets can be bought for £1 on Monday or Tuesday as the raffle will be drawn on Wednesday.

Finally, reports have been sent home today. For parents who would like an additional copy of the report, please advise the office so that it can be duplicated. Thank you.

Have a good weekend.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Al Higgins'.

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