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Dear Parents and Carers

I promise I will keep this letter short, three in 10 days is a lot!

Firstly a massive thank you for all you support this week with the changed routines and structures. Overall, it has been a great success and a fantastic first week back. The children have been nothing short of amazing with their positivity and enthusiasm to learn, they have quite genuinely been incredible and it is so wonderful to have the school filled with their energy and optimism again, it makes the new normal a million times easier to swallow!

Thank you also for sending all the children back. We have had 97% attendance this week, which is fantastic. Thank you so much, let us keep it up!

Next week we will be refining the systems from this week and I envisage by this time next week we will be running smoothly with the vast majority of things. We aim to start breakfast club on Monday 21st September. I will write again next week with details.

We will also be sending the children home next Friday at 1pm. Our trial run this afternoon has gone extremely well. If you have already let us know that you require child care on Fridays then your child will stay until 3.10 or 3.20, if not the **ALL CHILDREN MUST BE COLLECTED AT 1.00PM NEXT FRIDAY (18th)**. I will send reminders next week, as I know there is a lot of new stuff around and it can be confusing.

Please send your child to school with a labelled water bottle each day. We can top this up with drinking water as required but we cannot let them use the drinking fountains, as these have had to be shut off and taken out of action. Please also send them with a packed lunch if they do not receive a lunch from the school as a free school meal.

If your child has a medical appointment during the day could you please tell us as soon as possible as this will help us with planning and organising movement etc. In the 'good old day', this was not an issue but now it is a lot harder to do! The earlier the better please, many thanks.

Mrs Rochester will be starting her parent 'drop in' sessions soon. She will send details of times and dates early next week.

Many thanks again for all your continuing support. It is so lovely to have our school community back together again. More next week as it happens! Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Richard Woodfin
Headteacher

