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Dear Parents & Carers,

We are very much looking forward to welcoming everyone back to school on Monday. We hope you have had an enjoyable summer and that children are well rested ready for the busy term ahead.

In addition to welcoming back Y1-6 we also welcome our new Reception starters and indeed other children moving to our school. We are so excited for you to start school with us and we look forward to getting to know our new families.

As many of you know our Reception Lead and Assistant Head, Mrs Chisholm, had some time off school last term. Mrs Chisholm has had cancer and following a further operation and treatment it has gone. She has still got a little way to go on her road to full recovery and is not quite ready to return to work yet. In the meantime, Mr Askew will continue teach Dolphin Class as he did last term.

With the easing of Covid restrictions, the school gates will both be accessible and the playground one one-way system has been removed for dropping off and picking up your children. Masks are no longer compulsory, However, we ask that you are considerate to distancing and individual anxieties. Children need to continue to use the external classroom doors when entering school at the start of the school day. Gates will open at 8.45am. Please ensure they are here by 8.50am, ready and in class for registration at 8.55am. Reception children will finish school at 3.20pm and Y1-Y6 at 3.25pm. We ask that parents do not stay on the playground any longer than necessary. For safeguarding reasons, parents cannot enter the school building. A member of the Senior Leadership Team will be available on the school playground in the mornings to answer any questions. At the end of the day, class teachers will be available on the playground.

We would like to direct you to two documents which you can find below this letter on our website. The whole school Covid Risk Assessment and our Outbreak Management Policy. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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Head of School