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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Celebrating Birthdays

Our children and families like to celebrate Birthdays in many different ways. Whilst we understand that some of our children like to celebrate their birthday by bringing in party bags, to share around their class containing cake, sweets, chocolates and such like, we need to make a change in the way we celebrate together. Whilst we appreciate the sharing opportunity for children, we would like your support in promoting our healthy eating policy and ensure that this is encouraged throughout the school. This will also ensure, that as we have an increase in children that may suffer from food allergies and intolerances we minimise risk to the children as much as possible.

Therefore, we are inviting children to celebrate their birthday in school by donating a new book to their class library. This book can be shared in class and children given the opportunity to bring these books home as part of their weekly reading. We are sure you will agree that this will also encourage enjoyment of reading amongst pupils.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you for your support

Yours sincerely

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Interim Headteacher

