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Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome Back

We are looking forward to seeing everyone back in school tomorrow. Hope you have all had a very happy summer break and are keeping well.

For those who have passed by the school during the holidays, you will see that the roof replacement and building work is well and truly underway. This is on track to be finished at the end of November and will make such a difference to the lives of everyone in the school when it is completed.

As roof replacement work is currently being undertaken in the Junior Corridor and above Class 3 and Class 4, children in these classes need to relocate to new classroom areas for three or four weeks. Class 3 will be working in the hall and Class 4 in the temporary classroom on the playground. Temporary Junior Toilets (boys and girls) are also positioned in the playground.

To help everything run smoothly this term please can you take into account the following:

- Park in the Chapel Car Park if at all possible. Car Parking spaces are extremely restricted due to the building work this term
- Provide your child with a pair of wellies that can be kept in school. We will try to be outside as much as possible and will be using the field more often than normal. The field can get quite wet with the morning dew so this will help preserve shoes and socks.
- Please can children in Reception (Class 1) enter the school via the **front door** instead of the original plan of the entering via their classroom door. Children in all other classes will play and line up in the playground as normal.
- At the end of the day, please wait to pick up your children in the following locations
 - Reception (Class 1): Field
 - Year 1: Playground
 - Year 2: Playground
 - Year 3 & 4 (Class 3): Field
 - Year 5 & 6 (Class 4): Playground
- For safeguarding reasons, the temporary toilets in the playground are only to be used by children attending South Petherwin School during school hours.
- We will no longer be using a one-way system, but please still keep social distancing measures around the school site and keep left at potential bottlenecks such as gates.
- The weather is looking sunny this week, so please remember to pack a sunhat and water bottle for your children. You may also wish to apply sunscreen before school.

Everything else, including lunchtime arrangements will remain as before.

Looking forward to seeing you and your children tomorrow,
With best wishes

Theresa Mills