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Parc Eglos School Newsletter

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'Learning today for the world of tomorrow'

Message from Mr Dye

Thank you so much for your patience and understanding over the last two weeks. We have worked so well together to make things as safe as possible for our children. Overall, our arrangements are working well due to your flexibility and everybody's willingness to adapt to these strangest of circumstances. The children seem so happy to be back and are working very hard at all aspects of their work. Thank you for your support with reading at home. It is quite frustrating when we cannot send such things as reading records home, but do get in touch through Google Classrooms or email if you need to discuss anything.

We cannot underestimate that things will still be challenging over the next few weeks. Some children will find things tricky so do let us know if you have any concerns. I know we cannot meet face to face indoors, but we are learning other ways of communicating and sometimes it is just a quick chat with Senior Leaders and teachers at the school gate. We should be so proud of what we have achieved together and now that the children are back in school, we can make things as normal as possible for them which enables learning to be consistent again. It must also be so frustrating if your child has to wait for a test, but the new guidelines set out on the attachment sent with this newsletter make things much clearer and should help to reduce the ever increasing backlog.

Finally, a warm welcome to the parents of our new Foundation children. Usually Mrs Banner and I have had the chance to meet you by now, so it has been the strangest of transitions but you have made it happen so well and the children are a real joy. We are blessed with a wonderful team here with fabulous parents, as well as outstanding teachers, teaching assistants, office and support staff who will always go the extra mile for you and our children. I am sure your child will have a lovely time at Parc Eglos and please do contact us if we can help in any way.

Weekly Attendance

Class	Attendance %	No. of Lates
Sunbeams	93.7	0
Stars	90.4	0
1FP/JD	97.2	1
1BM	92.0	1
2HE	92.8	1
2NE	89.3	0
3KD	97.1	1
3SG/JB	94.8	0
4SC	92.3	0
4SR	95.8	2
5RG	97.2	1
5HH/PL	92.9	2
6KH	95.1	4
6DF	95.8	2

The expected percentage attendance for a child is **96%**. Let's see if each class can aim for this or above!



Breakfast Club

Please when you arrive for breakfast club could you wait at the school reception for a member of our team to open the door. Under the current circumstances the door bell is not being used. Thank you.

Water Bottles

Please remember your child will need to bring a water bottle into school every day.

Breaktime Snacks

Please can parents remember our no nut policy when sending in breaktime snacks. We ask that you send in a bread based snack or fruit to keep in line with our health schools policy.

Next week the school menu will be on **Week 1**