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4th September 2020 – Autumn Newsletter #2 – Final Preparations for Monday Return

Dear Parents,

This is just a short letter with some final key information about Monday's return. Please do read this in conjunction with 'Newsletter 2.9.20' and 'September 2020 Reopening Plans', both of which can be found on the home page of the school website.

- Please arrive to drop off your child and collect them promptly at your allocated time. This is really important to help avoid congestion and gathering. You may need to plan carefully to park some distance and walk in.
- Please remember that we are operating a one way system at school. Entrance to the site is only via the front of the school on Barewell Road. You will have to exit via the back of the school on to St Margaret's Close. **You will not be able to come on to the school site from St Margaret's Close.**
- Please note that there may be no crossing patrol on occasion on the road next to Homelands. This is because they have different school start and end times to us.

Thank you for your consideration and support with this. We will keep all our procedures under review as time progresses and will communicate any changes to you.

We have spent today and yesterday in training to ensure we are fully prepared to welcome back your children in a safe manner. Teachers and teaching assistants have got excellent plans in place for supporting your children with their mental health and well-being. I'm sure your children will find school and class a welcoming place, and will be really happy to be back. Classrooms look fantastic thanks to the hard work of staff and the school site looks wonderful thanks to our Sites Manager, Syd Holland, and his team.

Thank you to everybody who has helped us get the school ready, including our school governors who joined us for a site walk today to see how everything is in place.

We are all looking forward to seeing you and your children again.

Very best wishes,

Tim Hughes (Headteacher)