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Good Morning to you all,

Further to my letter on Friday about the importance of social distancing as much as possible in the school grounds, I still feel that at the end of the day, we are not as far apart as I would like. Myself and the senior leadership team at the end of the school day discuss how this is working and how it can be improved.

My priority is always the children but also my staff and yourselves and keeping as much of our community as safe as possible. You will be hearing in the media the likelihood of a second wave and I want to feel that we are trying everything possible to support one another in keeping COVID free.

Therefore, from this afternoon, there will be four possible exit gates to collect your child/children from. The map that is attached to this letter will indicate which gate to collect your child from according to their year group and the staggered time. Please note the timing has changed for EYFS to 3.00pm and I appreciate this is short notice.

We have made efforts to support families with siblings, hence our sibling station but this has now become a huge area for lots of parents to form in groups which defeats the most important task of keeping everyone safe. Therefore, you may now need to go to two gates to collect your children but at different times so that you do not need to be in two places at once. Of course, until you find your new routine, staff will stay with the children until they are collected so please don't panic and feel you have to rush.

We are here to support every family and it is my duty to keep everyone safe so I hope you understand my rationale for this new routine. Hopefully, this will be the last change but if needed, the team have the strength, with your support, to rise to any challenge we face.

Change in weather

In preparation for the weather turning colder and rainy over the coming weeks please ensure your child has a raincoat with them. The process of dismissing the children takes longer and this is unlikely to change.

I would like to thank you all so much for your support for the school community in working with me to help one another. I noticed a considerable drop in numbers of parents dropping off today so thank you for your support in this matter.

With very best wishes

God Bless



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Acting Head Teacher



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