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Dear Parents/Carers,

I mentioned in a previous newsletter that we were looking at ways to improve communication at school. After researching different providers and speaking to other schools, we have decided to use Parent Hub. The app is free to download and easy to set up (please see attached poster for more information).

After the February holidays, this will be our main way of communicating everything to you. Newsletters, most other letters and messages will be sent via this app. We will only send out hard copies of letters if we require a signature from you. Until the holidays, we will continue to send out paper copies and use the texting service as well as using Parent Hub. This will hopefully allow for a smooth transition and give you plenty of time to download and register.

My own children's school communicate using Parent Hub and as a parent I think it's fantastic. The vast majority of us have our phones with us most of the day and therefore can receive messages from school instantly.

A big reason for using this system is that we will no longer have to rely on your children to bring letters home! We constantly find letters left in cloakrooms, classrooms and even in the playground without knowing which children have left them.

If you don't download the app and register with Parent Hub by February half term then you risk missing out on key information therefore we urge you to do this immediately. If you need any support with this then please come and speak to the School Office.

Yours sincerely

Lee Swift
Headteacher