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Dear Parent/ Carer,

We are fast approaching the start of the new academic year, where did the Summer holiday go? I hope you have had a lovely Summer with your children and enjoyed being able to go out and about more now that restrictions have eased. We can't wait to welcome our fantastic pupils back to start their next year!

Children are due to start back at school on Tuesday 7th September with Reception children start dates being staggered over a few days (please contact school if you have misplaced the information for your child's start date).

Many restrictions for schools have now been lifted and so we are able to move to a more 'normal' approach. Therefore, our start and end of the school day will revert back to our normal pattern. Children should arrive at school from 8.50am, please make your way around to your child's class door to drop them off – there will be signs on doors and staff around to help you find the right door. Doors and gates will be locked promptly at 9am when registration will take place. It is extremely important that children arrive on time to ensure they do not miss any learning. Children should be collected from the same door at 3.15pm.

Unfortunately, our reduced staffing levels do not allow for us to continue manning the car park with walkie talkies at the end of the day. However, if your child is in year 5 or 6 you are welcome to send in a note asking for your child to be released at the end of the school day so they can walk round to you.

In school, we will continue to limit the amount of mixing between classes where possible and limit the number of people entering the school building where unnecessary. Therefore, please do not enter the school building unless you are requested to do so by a member of staff. If you need to speak to your child's teacher, please contact the office and they will pass a message on to the class teacher who will return your call outside of their teaching time.

It is important that we continue to minimise the items transferring between school and home. Children have access to all the equipment they need in school. Therefore, they must only bring the following into school with them:

- Book bag with their reading book and home school diary
- Filled water bottle
- PE Kit
- Lunch bag if on packed lunches
- Snack

Do not send your child to school with a large bag or toys. Our cloakrooms are small and there is not the space for large bags as well as PE bags on the hooks.

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If your child is starting year 3 and you were unable to purchase a school tie before the end of term they will be available from the school office on Monday or Tuesday morning. Please remember that PE uniform should be 'plain' and not contain logo's or slogans – see our website for further information. For safety, earrings and other jewellery should not be worn.

I look forward to seeing you all and welcoming your children back to school on Tuesday.

In appreciation of your continued support.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R Ross', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Mrs R Ross

Head Teacher