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Dear Parents and Carers

You may be aware that last week the government published guidance for the full opening of schools in September. This guidance states that all pupils, in all year groups, are to return to school full-time from the beginning of the Autumn term. This provides us with clarity and it is now our job to ensure we manage this return in a safe manner which minimises risk, whilst continuing to deliver a high quality broad and balanced curriculum. Further information will follow on from this, and I appreciate your patience and support in this matter.

Our Year 6, Year 1 and Reception pupils, who have returned to school, continue to engage in face-to-face lessons with their teachers and I have been delighted with the engagement they have demonstrated in their return to lessons.

As you have previously been informed, we continue to offer daily lunch bags for those children who are eligible for benefits-related Free School Meals. We now also offer a weekly hamper as an alternative. Lunch bags and Hampers can be ordered by calling the school office on 0161 643 7594. If your child is eligible for benefits-related Free School Meals, we will be offering supermarket vouchers over the summer holidays as our school kitchen will be closed.

As we approach the final two weeks of the Summer term, an end of year assembly for Year 6 pupils is being planned and this will be delivered via Zoom. Mrs. Curran and Mrs. Bonnar will be sending out invites over ClassDojo. End of year reports will be sent out next week, although these will be in an amended format to normal given the current situation.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. S Geddis



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