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## Newsletter

Friday 4<sup>th</sup>. September

### Welcome back everyone!

The children have been exceptional this week! They have come back into school, full of smiles and despite the changes we have had to make to our routines, they have not been phased by any of it - well done and thank you to all of you.

We want to say a huge THANK YOU to the parents/carers who work at EE who have been fundraising during lockdown to buy a tablet for school. We really appreciate your generosity.

Another huge THANK YOU goes to Morrisons on North Road for our welcome back to school hamper!

We have sent a number of lengthy updates out to you. Please can you ensure you follow the school guidance but primarily, if your child is unwell keep them at home and arrange a test. School needs to be informed of the results as soon as possible.

The routines we have put in place this week we will continue to review. We have amended lunchtimes to try to ensure all children have long enough to eat their food. As you will appreciate keeping the 7 year group 'bubbles' apart needs a plan of military making however, the safety of the whole of the school community will always be our priority.

We usually share our diary dates with you at this point in the year but currently we have not planned any parental activities and will only do so when it is deemed to be safe. We will advise you of how we are going to carry out parental consultations nearer the time.

### Appointments:

If your child has an appointment during school hours please do not bring them mid-session.

A morning appointment - bring them to school at lunchtime.

An afternoon appointment - please collect them at lunchtime.

Below is the list of timings for each year group lunchtime:

Reception - 11.30am

Year 1 - 12.30pm

Year 2 - 12.00pm

Year 3 - 12.00pm

Year 4 - 11.45am

Year 5 - 12.30pm

Year 6 - 12.30pm

### Childcare:

Childcare starts again on Monday. Doors open at 8.00am and children need to be collected by 5.30pm.

All of next week's sessions have now been booked. Bookings now return to the normal rolling 7 days so you can currently book for week commencing 14<sup>th</sup> September and for the rest of the term. Reception pupils will be sent logins on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> September so reception parents/carers will be able to book childcare from that date.

