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Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had a lovely sunny start to the half term and it has been great to be back with the children. It is hard to believe that we only have six weeks left in the school year.

As the COVID picture locally continues to be very positive, we have started to plan for easing some of our restrictions, of course, in accordance with Government guidelines. With the wider reopening of society, we feel it is vital that we continue to give the children increased opportunities in school. After careful consideration and reviewing our risk assessments, from next week we will move to having year group break and lunch times outside. This will mean that children in Years 2 up to Year 6 will once again be able to play with friends from the other class. These will be the only times that the children will be with other children from outside their class bubble. In the event of a wet break or lunchtime, the children will stay with their class in their classroom. When the children have lunch in the hall, classes will remain separate.

We believe socialisation to be so very important and this change should support the children moving forward into next year.

On Monday we should all hear about what will be happening with the planned easing of national restrictions for June 21st. We hope after this point to be able to provide you with more information relating to our Sports Days and Summer Fair plans.

Enjoy the rest of the week.

Yours sincerely,

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