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Dear Parents

Important (miscellaneous) information for September

I hope that you are all well and looking forward to the summer holiday.

There are a few changes that I need to share with you for next year. Unfortunately some information has been sent to you later than we would like. That is due to the lateness of the Department for Education Coronavirus guidance and the time needed to consult on our plan.

PE kits

Children are to come to school with their PE kits on. They are not to bring in their PE kit. This is because we need to limit the amount of equipment and bags that are brought in to school. We would also struggle to have enough rooms in school to accommodate separate changing spaces for girls and boys should we need to. This measure will negate that issue.

Mobile phones

The only children that require mobile phones in school are those who walk home on their own. The only children that walk home on their own are those children in Year 5 and Year 6 who have had the appropriate forms completed to give permission for walking home on their own. Those forms will be received in September.

Entry and Exit to school

Parents of children in Year 1 and Year 2 will be able to bring their children down the log roll walk and drop them off at the appropriate class in the morning. Parents of children in Year 3-6 will need to bring their children down the log roll walk and remain with their children until a teacher comes down to collect them. The log roll walk gate will remain open from 8.25am until 9.05am. We do not have enough staff to supervise the children if they are left unattended on the playground, so please bear that in mind when you are considering your 'drop-off' arrangements for next year.

Please also be very mindful that we won't be locking the school car park gates at any time, therefore cars might need to enter the car park at the same time that children are entering school. Please be very cautious when using that stretch of path to the front of school. Only permitted entrance to the car park is allowed.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Mr Rawlings', written in a cursive style.

Mr Rawlings
Headteacher