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Dear Parents / Carers

Parent consultations – end of Autumn Term 1

I am writing about our arrangements for this term's Parent Consultations. Although Government restrictions have lifted, like many schools across the country, we have decided to continue with a telephone appointment system this term. We want to protect our school community as much as possible and will not conduct face to face appointments.

On or before the 3rd December, you will receive your child's end of year report. This will include results from the tests taken at the end of last half term and we will also send home the marked test papers for Years 1 – 6.

During the week beginning 6 December, our teachers will be released from class to enable them to have a five-minute telephone appointment with each parent. If you have more than one child in school, you will receive an appointment for each child as it is important for you to speak to the individual class teachers.

We will make and send an appointment for you and we will use the main contact with the current telephone number we have on our school systems. If you have changed your number, or wish us to call a different adult to the main contact, you will need to let the office know.

If you need to change the appointment you have been given, or if you need an after-school call due to work commitments, please call the office and we will rearrange the appointment time for you. We will aim to speak to the parent of every single child in school and we will continue to try and call parents we are unable to get through to until we can speak to you. We may also use the second contact if we cannot contact the main parent listed.

It is important to remember that, for some children, lockdown and school closures will have had an impact and their usual progress may have been affected. We have been, and will continue to, closely monitor every child's progress. We have a range of additional teaching support and interventions happening in school that are tailored individually to every student. Your child's report and telephone appointment will give you the opportunity to discuss your child's progress and attainment with the class teacher.

In the meantime, we thank you, as always, for your fantastic support. Please continue to encourage to use all the tools and resources available to them at home. The children who become the best 'all-rounders' are those who have support from both school and home.

Yours sincerely,



Helen Haunch
Principal

