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RE: Final summer letter to families

Dear Families,

I am writing for the last time this holiday to tell you how excited the team and I are to welcome all pupils back safely. There has been a great deal of work done to the school site over the holiday which I look forward to sharing in our weekly Bulletin and on our twitter account @SchoolAvanti.

We have taken extensive measure to ensure all pupils will return safely. Please read my previous communication regarding re-opening plans for more details and my video providing further information:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=1&v=ptaKeHkXcUM&feature=emb_logo

In addition, we will now be taking temperatures of all pupils upon entry – if a pupil displays a feverishly high temperature, the senior member of staff will ask the pupil to remain at home for that day. This is a pre-emptive measure which we feel enhances the safety within our safe school environment.

Children will also be ‘zoned’ into their bubble groups during break and lunchtime, where pupils will be directed by staff to remain only within their safe space – this is to ensure everyone’s safety and will be explicitly taught by staff.

Additional transition has been planned for the first two days of term to ensure that all pupils have plenty of opportunity to transition well from the break.

Over the coming term, teachers will be planning and delivering a ‘Recovery curriculum’, designed to plug any missed learning gaps whilst allowing opportunity to discuss the recent coronavirus events.

Please can I remind parents that children should only be provided with healthy snacks, such as cereal bars or fruit. **We are a nut free school.** All children must bring their own water bottle henceforth due practicality and safety measures.

In PE lessons, pupils will be required to wear appropriate sports/active footwear with their normal clothes. This can be trainers or plimsols.

Yours faithfully,

Ashley Milum
Principal

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