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Dear Parents,

I hope you are well, and enjoying a bit of sunshine today.

Although we have sent you a newsletter earlier, I would like to draw your attention to a couple of things that were missed from it.

We'd like to thank you for your patience and commitment with the COVID-19 restrictions and would like to draw your attention to a few changes that will take place, mainly due to the relaxing of the guidance.

### **Changes to COVID 19 guidance**

From the 1<sup>st</sup> April, changes were made to measures and guidance for managing COVID-19 in education and childcare settings.

In summary, these are the changes

- children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can go back to school, college or childcare when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough to attend.
- adults with the symptoms of a respiratory infection, and who have a high temperature or feel unwell, should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people until they feel well enough to resume normal activities and they no longer have a high temperature.
- adults with a positive COVID-19 test result should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 5 days, which is when they are most infectious. For children and young people aged 18 and under, the advice will be 3 days.

More information can be found here: [next steps for living with COVID-19](#)

## **Jubilee and change to INSET day.**

There is an additional bank holiday this year to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. As this falls in the half term holiday, the government have given schools an additional day from the school calendar. Most schools have selected the last day of term, Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July. As this day is currently an INSET day, we have rescheduled the INSET for **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May**, therefore the school will not be open to pupils on that day. The end of the Summer term remains **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July**.

Have a lovely break with your children.

Thank you for your continued support.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brett". The letters are cursive and slightly slanted.

Headteacher