

4<sup>th</sup> November 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

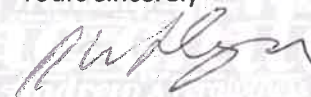
The children have returned well to school this week and are busy with their learning. We look forward to a settled term, I hope, and have included a first draft of dates for this term. Please be aware there may still be things added or cancelled depending on Covid circumstances. We do continue to have children off school from half term contacts and positive tests. Also, a reminder of the school guidelines are below. Please make ensure if your child is off school you ring before 9.10 to notify us – this is very important.

- If your child has **ANY** symptoms linked to COVID and you have concerns, then you must do a PCR test. Once the test has been taken, **please stay at home** until results are received. If results are positive inform school, who will then provide home learning
- If a PCR is taken by a member of your household for any reason, you must also **stay at home** until results are received again. Only return to school when a negative outcome has been received and also your child is feeling better.
- Lateral Flow Tests are to test for asymptomatic carriers of COVID. These should **not** be used if your child has any symptoms. Any symptoms please get a PCR test.
- If someone in your household test positive on a PCR test then please work with track and trace to advise of the next steps. Also please contact school before sending your child into school.

The PTFA will continue to support the school and this Friday will be 'Sweet Treat' time at the end of the school day where the children will have the opportunity to purchase a sweet bag for 50p.

We had a good attendance for our Open Morning this week and next week we have an Open Evening for any starters in September 2022. Please contact the school to book a place.

Yours sincerely



Mr D W Hodgson