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#### **Dear Parents**

Welcome back! It was wonderful to see some of you today. It was delightful to see all of the children back in our school, where they belong. You will be pleased to note that this will be a relatively short letter today. I will however be sending out a more detailed one early next week. We have been sent lots of revised guidance which I will read and disseminate when I can.

The day passed not without incident! Miss Plant's class were visited by a pigeon who decided to try and take over, fortunately Mrs Hovey and Mrs Timms ensured that the attempted coup (COO!!) failed!

### Monday 7 September 2020

The children will officially move into their new year groups and classes. Please remember this will mean different start times. All the information is on the letter sent out last week and in the 'information for parents' tab which is accessible from the homepage of the school website.

#### **Face Masks**

In this world of ever-changing guidance and advice we have recently been sent this by the Local Authority:

'Whilst Sheffield is not identified as an area of high virus transmission and is not identified as an area of Government intervention at this time the Sheffield Director of Public Health advises all pupils, students and staff in secondary schools, FE colleges and Universities that face coverings **should be worn** in communal areas and on corridors. In primary schools where social distancing is not possible (in areas outside of classrooms between members of staff or visitors, for example in staffrooms) wearing face coverings in these circumstances is advised. **It will not be necessary to wear face coverings in classrooms**.'

As a consequence, I have instructed all staff to follow this revised guidance about the wearing of face masks in communal areas. Should parents wish to wear face masks whilst on the site, that remains your decision.

#### **Diary Dates**

I will, next week, send out a diary dates sheet however, it will be brief. At the moment, I will not be including dates for our traditional performances or the other range of events we get involved in. If the guidance changes, we will let you know. Parent consultations will be included however, at the moment, these will be undertaken via Zoom. Again, all of this will be subject to revised guidance. Currently, the clear message we are being given is to restrict contact - particularly with non-school based adults.













# The next two days

Staff will continue to work with and support the children. The teachers are looking forward to the swap morning which will set the tone for the work due to begin on Monday. It will be a great opportunity for the children to meet their new teacher and work in their new rooms.

Finally, included below is a map of the newly named classrooms so that you know where your child will be going on Monday 7 September 2020.

# Kind Regards

# Martin and Genaya

