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Dear Parents and \Carers,

I am writing to give an update on a few school matters. Firstly I would like to say a huge thank you to all our families who shared photos of their Eid. It's been so lovely seeing how Eid is celebrated across our school community and sharing conversations with children about their experiences. The photos are being shared at assembly and on the school website.

Health and Safety

I am sure like me, you are all delighted that we have moved into level 2 and can now enjoy more relaxed measures.

In school however, most of the previous restrictions remain in place. Children still need to be kept separate from other classes throughout the school day. This means they are also unable to mix in the playground during break and lunchtime. Although we are now able to take part in PE indoors, there are still strict guidelines around cleaning equipment between classes.

I know this is difficult for our children to understand especially as they are able to mix outside of school and be in other children's homes.

Can I remind you therefore that more than ever it's important to not send your child to school if they are displaying any of the following symptoms-

- **A high temperature**
- **A persistent cough**
- **A loss/change to sense of smell or taste**

Can I also remind you to keep your child off school if a family member has these symptoms or has tested positive.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Warmest regards,

Maria Gowans
Head Teacher

