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Dear Parents

Well, what a strange half term that has been! Well done for surviving – you now get a week off from the home learning!

Next week it is half term and therefore the teachers will not be sending home a timetable and will not be telephoning you. I need them to have a break! I am very proud that my awesome team including our cleaners and kitchen team, has kept the school open over Easter, and bank holidays, but as we prepare for the proposed partial reopening on 2nd June, they need a break.

If you have booked your Reception, Year 1 or Year 6 child in to school from 2nd June, please check Marvellous Me as I have sent you the information relating to your child's group, teacher, teaching assistant, classroom, entry gate and start and end times. It is very important that you adhere to these arrangements.

If you haven't received them or can't access them, please email your child's class teacher and they can share these with you.

I would like to say a personal thank you for the positive feedback and comments we have received. We are all working so hard to get things right in these unprecedented times and I am so pleased so many of you think we are.

As we are closed next week for half term, the next hampers for our children who are entitled to benefit related free school meals will be available for collection on Monday 1st June from 2.00pm – 3.00pm. As all of our 'delivery drivers' will now be teaching all day, we will no longer be able to deliver these boxes as we move forward. Please ensure you collect or you arrange for someone to collect on your behalf.

If your child is due to return on the 2nd June, please spend some time over the half term talking about returning to school and listening to any concerns they might have. There is lots of information in the parent letter you could share with them. Please warn them about the gate they will be entering from, the teacher they will have etc and especially that you will have to say goodbye to them at the gate.

Most importantly, remember to tell them we are really looking forward to welcoming them back to school!

Please remember you can still contact me via the office email during the half term if you need any support or have any questions.

Yours sincerely

Helen Frampton
Headteacher