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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we finish our preparations for the re-opening of school for the new academic year tomorrow, I just wanted to write to you all to say how much we are looking forward to seeing everyone again. The staff have worked very hard to make everything ready, as much as we can, and the arrangements will continue to evolve as the days progress.

NEW STAFF

I would like to inform you of the new staff that we have welcomed to Castle Park this week.

Miss Sarah Walker has been appointed as the new School Office Manager. She took up this position on Tuesday and is looking forward to meeting you and your children over the coming months.

We are delighted to welcome Miss Cowin and Miss Berriman as apprentices in Early Years.

Mrs Stearn has returned from her maternity leave and will be teaching Year 1/2 once again.

Mrs Mattinson will be joining our Midday Supervisor Team.

CLASSDOJO

ClassDojo will become operational again from tomorrow. This will be used as a communication system between home and your child's new class teacher. You will be able to use the same login details as previously and if you have not had access before, you will receive a letter to introduce you to ClassDojo with your login details in the coming days. ClassDojo will not be used for uploading work completed at home at the moment, as children will be at school and will receive direct feedback on their work from their teachers during their lessons.

Following the distribution of letters to you last Friday, I reiterate that pupils should only bring the items detailed in the letter. Pencil cases are not required as these materials will be provided for each child. Class teachers will be able to clarify any further queries in the morning, so please do not worry.

I am very grateful for your patience and understanding during the last weeks and months and, through working co-operatively together, we have everything ready to welcome pupils back to school to continue their learning together with their teachers once again. We will continue to refine our processes and systems further during the next weeks and will keep you fully informed of any developments or changes to arrangements.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs H F Richardson
Headteacher



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