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Dear Parent/Carers,

Covid update

I am writing to inform you that we continue to have daily reported covid cases across the school setting. Public Health has recommended that if you have a confirmed covid case in your household to self-isolate and not send your child into school. This is only a recommendation as a way to reduce transmission rates across the school setting, especially in year groups with higher cases. At present, cases are high in Reception and Year 4 classes. Every setting or year group has had a positive case in the last 7 days so please continue to test your child if needed using Lateral Flow Tests.

KS1 Trim Trail

The KS1 trim trail is now open for the children to use at playtime and lunchtimes. A risk assessment has been completed and the staff will be showing the children how to play on the equipment safely. During playtimes and lunchtimes the equipment will be supervised by a member of staff. As part of the risk assessment we have stated that parent/carers must be responsible for their own children playing on the equipment before the school day and after school. Please make sure if your child is playing on the equipment during these times that you ensure they play safely.

If you have any questions regarding covid or the trim trail please contact the office.

Thank you for your continuing support.

Kind regards

Mrs Knight Head of School

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