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Dear parents and carers,

It has been lovely to see our children return to school today and I hope that you all enjoyed a restful half-term break.

Again, I would like to thank you all for the support that you continue to show to our schools and for continuing to ensure the safety of our school community. Following the announcement by the Prime Minister at the weekend, and the increased rate of transmission seen locally in the last three weeks, it has been decided that all adults, and those over 12 years, bringing children to and from school will be required to wear face coverings with immediate effect. This means that from the moment that you enter our school grounds, to drop off or collect your child, that a face covering should be worn, unless you have a medical reason not to do so.

I know that this is not a nice thing to have to do, and I also appreciate that parents are outside, but I hope that this will further support what the community is trying to do to reduce the rate of transmission of Covid 19.

I am awaiting information from the Department of Education and Public Health England regarding any recommended actions, and will, of course, let you know as soon as possible if this affects you further.

Best wishes

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alison", written over a white rectangular background.

Mrs Alison Nettleship  
CEO  
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