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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope that this letter finds you and your families well. As we continue to operate under strict government guidance regarding COVID health and safety, I wanted to take this opportunity to remind parents of the support available at school. We know that some of our families have faced particularly difficult challenges over recent months and for others, even everyday changes to routines and contact can make life more difficult. Please remember that although face to face contact is limited, we are always here to support. Simply contact your class teacher or the school office by email or alternatively phone the school office who will direct your enquiry.

Now, more than ever before, parent teacher collaboration is vital to the success and happiness of all of our Chapelford children. In Autumn 1, phone calls to parents to discuss settling back into school, share knowledge of learning and next steps and identify any emotional needs were really positive and a great help in working together to ensure the needs of all children are met. Following on from this success, teachers are currently in the process of contacting parents for the secondary round of planned 'parents' evening' calls, which replace the Autumn face to face parents' evening. Please do use this time to share any concerns and ask any questions directly to the class teacher as well as celebrate your child's achievements and progress. If you have a preferred day or time frame which would make contact easier or if you wish for both parents to be available, please do let your class teacher know and they will try to accommodate where possible. These calls are incredibly valuable and as always, your support is appreciated.

We are always keen to gather parent views on new systems and events, so please feel free to share any views on communication and Seesaw. Although during our first parent forum last half term, the feedback was very positive with parents reporting that Seesaw has much improved home school learning links, we are always striving to improve and welcome any suggestions you may have.

Kindest regards

Mrs Joanne Hewson



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