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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that you are well and now settled into the school routine. It has been lovely to visit all our schools and see our children and young people working so hard, supported by our dedicated staff.

Over the past few weeks, we have continued to review precautions and measures in place to manage any instances of COVID in schools. All schools have in place robust risk assessment processes, and we meet regularly to discuss each local response to this.

You may be aware that cases of COVID have been rising nationally since the beginning of the school term, and where this happens each school takes advice and guidance from their local health protection team. It may well be that over the next few weeks some of our schools put in place additional measures following this advice that may well include;

- a) Introduction of face coverings in communal areas.
- b) Moving collective worship and assemblies to fully online
- c) Amending social time space to ensure year groups do not mix.

*The list above is not intended to be exhaustive, and illustrates actions schools may take to support the well-being of all members of each school community.*

Where schools take measures such as this, please be aware that they do so with the full support of myself and our Trust, and please support these decisions. They are being made in the best interests of all children, young people and staff.

Thank you for your continued support of our schools. Our Trust mission is to serve each of our communities as best we can, and we will continue to do this during these interesting times.

Yours Sincerely,

Mr C Foley  
Catholic Senior Executive Leader  
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