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Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope that all is well with you all and that everything is going well with the children's work at home now that we have started the new term. You should have received a letter per year group via School Ping this week as a bit of an update, so hopefully this will have given you some fresh ideas for work for your child. Please do ring school to leave a message for your child's teacher if you want any more detail or have any questions about what is being provided.

The local authority has asked me to make you aware of a recent incident within the Bradford district. A parent had contacted them to report a phone call from a person stating they were calling from Bradford Local Authority. The caller knew the parent's surname and address. The caller requested information in relation to the parent's experience of education delivery during COVID-19. The caller went on to request to speak to the child about this and subsequently asked highly inappropriate questions which put the child at risk of harm and caused great distress to the family. Swift action was obviously taken and the incident was reported to the police who have taken the matter very seriously. However, please be aware that neither the local authority nor the school would ever call and ask for information in this way and that you should report any such calls directly to the Police on 101.

We have received several queries about the residentials for Y4, Y5 and Y6 in June/ July and the residential to Ingleborough Hall planned for the new Y4 in September. Please bear with us over the next couple of weeks while we establish which of these are definitely cancelled and which may yet go ahead if circumstances allow. We suggest, however, that you don't pay any balance due until we know what will happen in each case.

You may be interested to know that the new nursery building arrived this morning! You may have seen the posts on Twitter and Facebook with photos of the time capsule that was being laid in the foundations last week, and been aware that it was due. It came in three sections and is now looking very smart in its new location. It was amazing for everyone in school today to watch it being craned in.



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I thought you might like to see a few photos of the delivery!



Thank you for your continued support, and we will keep updating you as much as we can whether your children are still in school or at home with you.

Yours sincerely,

Fiona Meer  
Co-Headteacher



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