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Dear Parent/Carer,

Welcome back! Hopefully you are all beginning to return to a more normalised way of life after a long break from school. It is great to see the children back and we are all excited about the session ahead. We are settling into our new class in Primary 5-7G very well and look forward to sharing it with you over the year.

This term our P.E sessions will be every Monday and Tuesday. In line with the current guidelines, we are not requiring a change of P.E kit, but children may come dressed in appropriate P.E wear if they wish. We will be outside for PE as much as possible, therefore a clothing/outerwear suitable for outdoor P.E is necessary to ensure we are safe and warm. Earrings and other jewellery are best left at home on PE days, or tape (brought from home) can be placed over earrings for safety.

It is still possible to get mixed up with clothing and personal items, so if you could remember to label everything it would be very much appreciated. Please try to send a filled water bottle to school with your child daily - as we actively encourage drinking water in class to help keep us fully hydrated and to help with our thinking. This also sets a very good example for others in school.

Parental support is greatly appreciated at all times but is particularly valuable during home learning sessions and we shall have further details on how this shall look soon. It would be very helpful if home learning could be encouraged and supported at home.

Ms Thomson will be teaching P5-7G every Monday for the full day, and for a block of time on a Tuesday morning.

Even though you may not see us at the end of the school day to answer any queries, please don't hesitate to get in touch via the school if I can help in any way.

We also have an Absence Hotline in school which we would ask you to call before 10am in the morning please, to inform us of any absence - the telephone number is 01786 476577.

Lastly, if you have any questions or concerns you would like to discuss, please send a note with your child and I will get back in touch as soon as possible if a reply is required.

I'm really looking forward to a fun and successful year in Primary 5-7G.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Sarah Ferguson