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Dear Parent/Carer,

We have had a very happy and successful first week back at school. We would like to thank you for all the support you have shown for the many changes to our usual school routines. We appreciate that many of these changes require extra effort on your part, as well as ours.

This letter aims to provide some updates, and additional information, on a few key issues.

Sickness and absences

Public Health Haringey have informed us that the symptoms of Covid – 19 can be much milder, and more general in children of primary school age. Therefore, we ask that you keep your child off school if they are experiencing any sickness at all.

Please keep us informed of any test results. It is very important that the school knows if there is a positive case of Covid – 19, so we can inform Haringey and comply with all of the test and trace requirements.

Breakfast Clubs

We fully intend to open a breakfast club provision for our Infant School children for years; Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. **We are not currently opening our breakfast club to nursery children.** We needed some additional time to ensure we could open a safe provision in line with government guidelines. Our aim is to have a separate breakfast club for Infant school (R, 1 & 2) children open from Monday 21st September. At this stage it will only be available to those already registered. We will write to those parents next week with more details. If you are interested in your child accessing breakfast club and are not registered, please register your interest using the schools admin email address; admin@shsharingey.co.uk

After school clubs

We are currently planning a selection of clubs for children which will run until 4:30pm. Due to government guidelines we will not have the capacity for as many clubs as we used to run. We aim to have some of these running by the first week of October. We will write to you again soon with more details.

We will be opening our own extended after school club, which will provide care for children until 6pm. This club requires a greater level of planning due to the government guidance on Covid 19. We are aiming to open this in the first week after the half term break. Those who were previously registered for 'Grass Roots' will be given first choice on places. We will write to these parents in due course.

Pick up and Drop off

Thank you for doing your best with our pick-up and drop-off arrangements. We have been asked to remind you to remain socially distanced from others when you are waiting to drop and pick up. We would also ask that you keep a mask with you so you can wear this at times when it gets crowded in our communal areas and you are unable to socially distance.

We have been in contact with Haringey to ask for support with the traffic conditions on Pemberton Rd. While we are using the additional entrance and exit gate by the Junior gym, we ask that you be extra careful when crossing the road, until we receive some assistance from Haringey.

Yours Sincerely,



Ian Scotchbrook
Headteacher