



Dear Parents/ Carers,

At the end of a very different and somewhat challenging school year, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your ongoing support during this final term. I feel extremely lucky to have taken on my new role with such a wonderful school community.

It has been fantastic to see how well the children who have returned to school have settled back into their 'bubbles'. I have been impressed with everyone's resilience, coping so well with the changes that have been forced upon us, and I feel extremely proud of each and every one of your children.



I am hoping that our Year Two parents were able to see my message on our website which highlighted the fact that, after seeking clarification from the Department for Education about prioritising our Year Two children back into school before they transitioned on to Year Three, we were told that we had to offer places to the priority groups that the Government had identified (Nursery, Reception, Year One and certain identified children). This sadly left us with no capacity to welcome our Year Two children back on a regular basis due to the physical capacity, alongside some of our Year Two staff teaching additional year groups across the school. However, we have had two wonderful days with our Year Two children where they have had time with their teachers and friends to reflect upon their memories here with us. They also enjoyed a delicious picnic in our school grounds and lots of fun was had by all. Once again, I feel immensely proud of your children. They have been a wonderful part of our school family and are a real credit to you. I would like to wish them lots of luck as they embark on the next chapter of their education. I am sure that they will have a wonderful time in Year Three.



For our children and families who have not yet returned to school, we are very much looking forward to welcoming you all back in September.

The staff have been working extremely hard to ensure that school remains a nurturing yet safe environment in preparation for their return. Over the past month we have been working to develop our school environment both inside and outside. It is exciting to see the changes that have taken place which have included the development of our outdoor areas in Nursery and Reception and a new library area for your children to enjoy. Those of you who have been into school will have noticed that we have given areas in our school grounds a fresh coat of paint which is looking fantastic! We have had some wonderful donations from the community of Torpoint and we would like to thank you all as without your support we would not have been able to do this. We are extremely grateful for your generosity.



I would like to wish you all an enjoyable and restful summer break with your families. Should you require any support during the holiday period we have a section on our website which includes contact details and information which may be helpful.

We look forward to welcoming you and your children back into school on the **3<sup>rd</sup> September**.

Best wishes

Mrs Kellond

Acting Head Teacher

