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Tuesday 2nd November 2021

Dear Parent/Carers,

COVID-19 Update

As cases of COVID-19 in Tendring are currently rising, we have made the decision as a precaution for all staff to wear masks at the beginning and end of the school day. We would also like to request that parents and carers **wear a mask** when you collect your child at the **end of the day**.

If your child has to self-isolate because they have a **positive** PCR result, work will continue to be provided by the school. This will come in the form of a set of plans and accompanying work. If you require a device, please let the school office know and this will be made available to you.

Assemblies will be carried out over Zoom this half term.

Parents Evening

Now that your child has had a term to settle into their new class, we would like to invite you to discuss your child's progress with their class teacher. This will give you the chance to find out how they have settled, what they are doing well and the areas they need to work on. It will also give you the opportunity to find out what you can do at home to support your child and ask any questions you might have.

Parents Evening will be held on the week of **8th November 2021** in the form of a telephone conversation.

Your child's class teacher will call you between **3:30pm & 6pm** across the week. Please ensure you answer this call and let the teacher know if there is any time you cannot be called.

Dates for November

Below are a list of dates for your diary in November. We will review dates for December shortly, once we have more guidance around COVID-19.

Anti-bullying Week (One Kind Word) & Transgender Awareness Week	15 th -19 th November	To recognise Transgender Awareness Week we will be talking to the children about diversity.
Odd Socks Day	15 th November	To mark the beginning of Anti-bullying week, children can come into school wearing odd socks.

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Children in Need	19 th November	To raise some money for Children in Need, the children can come into school wearing anything spotty/Children in Need themed.
New Parent Tours	25 th November	If you are or know somebody with a child who will be starting school in September, please book a tour with the school office.

PE and Outdoor Learning Days

	Outdoor Learning	PE
Monday	Julia Donaldson Class Oliver Jeffers Class	Anthony Browne Class
Tuesday	Roald Dahl Class Enid Blyton Class	Roald Dahl Class Enid Blyton Class
Wednesday	Michael Morpurgo Class J.K. Rowling Class Michael Rosen Class	Michael Morpurgo Class J.K. Rowling Class Michael Rosen Class
Thursday	Anthony Browne Class	
Friday	Judith Kerr Class	Julia Donaldson Class Judith Kerr Class Oliver Jeffers Class

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Conroy