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### Drop-off and Collection

Dear Parents

It has been fabulous to welcome the children back to school this week. There has been a lovely buzz around and it has been great to hear about everybody's holiday experiences.

In line with government guidance, we naturally need to be constantly reviewing procedures that have been put in place to ensure the safety of the children, parents and staff. Whilst the government makes clear that schools should adopt staggered start times, having tried these out this week, it is clear that this is not the best solution for our context or setting.

**From Monday, we will be resuming an 8:45-8:55am window for drop-off for all classes.** I would also like to encourage a one-way system to be in place. Please therefore enter via the gravelled church path, drop off, and exit via the alley way. As the alleyway is narrow, a one-way system will help to ensure we are not too close at any one moment in time. Naturally, we cannot 'police' this; it is public land. I am merely appealing to our better sense of self.

Please note, collection times will continue as they have done, as this has worked well. Again, a one-way system for the alleyway makes sense. We will put some arrows out to help us – we are all of course human!

Don't forget that Breakfast Club is available from 7.45am, and does not require booking – just turn up when you need this facility.

Thank you for your understanding. I am sorry to make further changes, but we of course we want to get things right for the safety and protection of everybody.

Yours faithfully

Gary Price  
Headteacher

