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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you are all having a good weekend.

Only a short update this week as we have had no further information from Welsh Government and we all wait with baited breath for their review of the situation on the 29<sup>th</sup> January.

Everything seems to be going smoothly in school for those using the hub provision and I very much appreciate the emails I've been getting letting me know your requirements for the coming week.

I must say and huge thank you to all of you! You are doing a tremendous job with helping to support your children with their home learning. I know your circumstances at home will be incredibly challenging, juggling many things. The engagement and quality of work that is being submitted by the children as has been fantastic. Thank you so much! If you are experiencing and issues at home, please let us know and we'll do all we can to help.

Live streaming starts tomorrow for our junior children. Unfortunately, COVID has already hit our well laid out plans! I'm afraid Miss John is needing to self-isolate from today and will be unable to carry out her live streaming tomorrow. She will re-arrange as soon as she can. Apologies for this inconvenience.

For those of you who may be still considering your children taking part or may have missed the information and texts sent out last week, the consent form will be open again this evening and will close again at noon on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup>. This allows the teachers to set up their call groups on Friday for the following week.

For our rising 3 nursery children, Mrs Barry and Mrs Birch have prepared a few videos for you in readiness for when the children start. They can be found on the school website under *Classes-New Starters 20-21-Rising 3s*. We are very much looking forward to seeing you when we all start back!

I will send my usual update next weekend and of course, if need be, I will send you anything urgent that comes to light before then.

Have a good week everyone.

Kind regards,

**Steve Rayer**  
Headteacher

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