Friday 23rd May 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to update you on the flood wall work that was due to commence this week. This has been delayed but will hopefully commence in the next few weeks.

Over the half term holiday, we are also having some additional external fencing put in place to improve security around the school site. When the children return to school after half term:

- Security fencing with two external gates, in line with the current pedestrian entrances,
 will be in place.
- During the school day the pedestrian gates will be locked. If you visit the school during these hours a buzzer system will operate on the main pedestrian entrance.
- A bollard will be in place during drop off and pick up times no vehicles will be able to enter or leave the car park during these times.
- The car park gates will be open as normal for children to enter and leave at the beginning and end of the school day.
- At the end of the school day the gates will be locked. This will maintain the security and safety of children at after school clubs. After half term, if you are collecting from any school led after school club, please wait in the pedestrian area by the large tree and the children will be brought to you.
- If you are collecting from pre school after school club before 4pm please enter the main entrance and ring the pre school bell. After 4pm the side gate will be open as now.

These measures are being put in place to improve the safety and security of everyone on the school site. Inevitably, there may be a few teething problems whilst everyone gets use to the new system. However, as I am sure you agree safety is paramount and it is important we put these measures in place.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support and cooperation.

Yours sincerely, Jayne Maund Headteacher

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