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Dear Parent/Carer

30th November 2023

Re: Heating Update

Following a site meeting on Wednesday with Quora, I am delighted to confirm that the building work relating to the heating system will be complete next week. As you know, we have been unable to plan our usual Christmas activities because we have had to use every inch of available space for teaching and learning including: the library, the hall, the staff room and sensory areas – we have even had interventions taking place in corridors!

Despite the disruption, we have managed to keep the school open and fully operational – which is a huge achievement and all credit to the team from Quora and our own team for making what could have been a nightmare at least tolerable. The children have been amazing and have adapted really well to being taught in lots of different places over the last 6 weeks and I really proud of how they have coped throughout this challenging time.

I would also like to thank parents and carers for your support and understanding. I appreciate that this has not been a 'normal' half term or run up to Christmas but your messages of support have really helped to keep us all going.

Had we planned Christmas events and then had a delay in the programme of works we would just have ended up disappointing over 140 children and families but due to the early completion of the work, we now have a couple of weeks in which to plan and deliver some lovely events. These will be detailed via separate letters – please check our website.

Once again, thank you for helping us get through this incredibly challenging term.

Yours sincerely
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