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Monday 27th November 2023

Dear Parents and Carers

RE: Potential change to Nursery provision

Dear Parents and Carers,

With the potential change to school hours, as set out in the letter that has been emailed out today, we wanted to gauge the opinions of yourselves as parents of nursery aged children.

It is our intention that school will be open for all pupils from 8:30am – 3:30pm Monday – Thursday. On Friday school will be open from 8:30am – 12:50pm. We will ensure that all pupils have had their lunch before they leave at 12:50pm.

By keeping the Nursery hours as they are at present this would mean that there would be a difference of 20 mins between the start of the school day and the start of the Nursery sessions. Similarly, at the end of the day, school will end 25 minutes after the nursery session ends.

Therefore, we have some options for you to consider, please see below. Please let us know which option you would prefer by circling the relevant option. Please be assured that this letter is to gauge opinion only. Once we have collated all the responses, we will give feedback and let you know of any results. Please could you return the slip below by Friday I st December. Thank you.

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Name of child

Option I

Nursery session times remain the same. Full day = 8:50am - 3:05pm $\frac{1}{2}$ day sessions 8:50am - 11:20 or 12:40 - 3:05

Option 2

Nursery session times change to:

Full day session = 8:30 - 3:30 (7 hours)

As you'll be aware, this will then lead to children having I hour left of a Nursery session to use.

Would you use this I hour nursery session? Please circle Yes or No.

 $\frac{1}{2}$ day session = 8:30am - 11:30 am or 12:30pm - 3:30pm (3 hour per session)

If you'd like to discuss anything related to this matter, please do not hesitate to get in touch. Thank you,

Paul Arnold Senior Head of School