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Changes to After-School Arrangements from Monday 1st June 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to update you about some changes to the arrangements for children and parents/carers remaining on the school site at the end of the school day.

Historically, families have been welcome to stay after school to enjoy the field and, more recently, the MUGA. However, as we now have an increasing number of after-school clubs using these areas, alongside our paid-for after-school provision, we need to prioritise access for these supervised activities.

Therefore, from Monday 1st June 2026, children and parents/carers who are not attending an after-school club will be asked to leave the school site by 3:45pm.

After this time, the MUGA, field, trim trail and other outdoor areas will be prioritised for use by our after-school club provision and any organised school clubs. In addition, if a club is taking place on the field or outdoor areas before 3:45pm, we respectfully ask that children and parents/carers move to allow the activity to take place safely and effectively.

This decision has been made for safeguarding and supervision reasons.

We do appreciate the value of families being able to spend time together on the school site at the end of the day, and we hope that continuing to allow access until 3:45pm will still provide an opportunity for children and families to relax, unwind and enjoy the sense of community that this brings.

However, if these arrangements compromise the safety or supervision of children attending clubs or after-school provision, we may need to review them further.

Could I also remind parents and carers that the nursery toys and equipment are intended for use by nursery children only and should not be taken out by older children at the end of the day. We would appreciate your support in ensuring that children do not get the equipment out or leave items lying around, as this helps us to keep the nursery environment safe, tidy, and ready for learning each day.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

Yours sincerely,

C Kelly

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Headteacher