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Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you all for your continue support this half term. Life is school is as near to normal as it has been in a long time. Although the children still work mainly within classes and year group bubbles, we have begun to have class assemblies in the hall again – something which we have not had since Covid hit last year.

Sadly, we still are unable to welcome groups of parents into school and this may be the case for the rest of this academic year. It seems so long since we could welcome you through our doors but we must put the safety of our school community first.

We must however continue to be careful. In school we regularly review our risk assessments and ensure that we work within the current government guidance. It is essential that we work together to keep everyone safe. Please remember that if someone in your household has covid symptoms, that person must book a covid test without delay and everyone in that household must self-isolate whilst waiting for the results. If someone in your house has symptoms, please do not sent your children to school. If we all follow the rules, we have the best chance of keeping classes open and learning flowing up until the end of the year.

Covid Lateral Flow Tests are now available to everyone in the community and are a great way of keeping your household safe and being able to identify a case if you feel unwell. These tests are simple to administer at home and can be ordered online via this link <u>https://grovehouseprimary.co.uk/coronavirus-information/</u> If you need any help ordering tests, please contact a member of staff in the school office who will be happy to help.

Finally, on behalf of the staff and governors of the school, I would like to wish you all a safe and happy half term break. The weather forecast looks great, so please do enjoy the sunshine and fresh air. We look forward to welcome your children back into school on Monday 7th June. Please remember school hours are back to normal 8:50am – 3:10pm for all children, gates will be locked at 9am daily.

Kind regards

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Head of School









