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Acting Headteacher: Mrs A Dickinson

Dear Parents,

Next week the year six children will sit their SATs tests for maths, reading, spelling, grammar and punctuation. Timetabled as follows:

Monday: SPaG paper 1 and 2

Tuesday: Reading

Wednesday: Maths paper 1 and 2

Thursday: Maths paper 3

The scores from these tests will tell us lots about their learning but will not tell us everything we know about how much these children have achieved over their time at Raughton Head CE Primary School. They don't show us what good friends they are, how well they can draw or sing or that they are kind, trustworthy and thoughtful - we know this and see this everyday.

Can I please ask that year six children arrive in good time each morning having had a good night's sleep? To try and ease any nerves for these children we will hold a 'breakfast club' each morning from 8:50am – 9:10am where we will have an additional snack and time to relax and 'chill'.

Community lunch (Roast dinner) is on Wednesday, 23 May from 12pm at a cost of £6 per 2 course meal. Please book your place by Thursday, 17 May. Unfortunately, due to a family funeral, I will be unable to join you.

With the warmer weather please could we ask that each child has their own water bottle at school so that they have easy access to water throughout the school day?

Calendar dates are updated regularly on the website, alongside weekly updates on our 'Star of the Week' and winning house team. Also on our website are the topic webs for both KS1 and KS2.

I'm sure you'll all agree our planters are really taking shape. Mrs Brazendale and Mr Clark, keen gardeners from the parish, have worked with the KS2 children to plant them with fast growing seeds, vegetables and hardy perennials.

Finally, with Mrs Lawson leaving us in September Miss Baker will teach the KS2 class in both the morning and afternoons and I will teach Early Years and KS1 in the mornings with Miss Kavanagh teaching KS1 in the afternoons. This arrangement will start after half term should Mrs Lawson remain absent. A letter regarding the headship arrangements will follow next week after the governors meeting.

Thank you for your continued support,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A Dickinson".

Alison Dickinson