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Dear Parent / Carer,

I am writing to remind you that this Friday May 8th, school is closed for the May Bank Holiday which was moved to this date this year to commemorate the 75th anniversary of VE Day. Even in these most challenging of times it is important that we take some time to remember the sacrifices of so many people in defence of our liberty. It seems somewhat unfair that survivors of a generation which endured so much hardship during World War 2, are now living under another threat at this stage of their lives. If you would like to visit the school website, you can access a PowerPoint which Mrs Caw has developed to mark the occasion.

As Friday is a public holiday, teachers are not required to set school work and pupils will not be expected to complete school work. I hope that the day will present an opportunity for all to spend some quality time together. We should spare a thought, however, for those people in our community who will continue to work to combat the threat of the virus. We offer them our thanks and appreciation.

I am aware that for many in our community the period in lockdown is now beginning to become even more challenging. I would invite anybody to contact school should they feel the need of support of any kind that the school could offer. At the moment, we have no clear guidance on when and how we may be able to begin to reopen the school. We are giving close consideration to plans to do so safely when the time comes. I must assure you that as soon as we are able to offer a clear strategic plan for a return we will share those details with you.

In the meantime, please stay safe and continue to observe the rules on social distancing to help speed up the return to some form of normality which we are all looking forward to being able to enjoy.

Yours sincerely,

Mr C Horrocks
Headteacher



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