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Scola Rebuild to Start

Dear Parents,

Phase 1 of our extensive rebuild is set to begin during the half term holiday. The works include, recladding, glazing replacement, new external doors, new roofing, new ceilings and lighting and internal finishes. The works are set to be extensive and transformational; we feel very proud and grateful that so much money is being invested into our school.

On returning after the half term, those parents who drop off and pick up from Sparrow, Wagtail, Kittiwake and Robin class will need to follow their usual route along temporary pathways. Our contractors will make the general flow of traffic obvious to you.

As scaffolding and the contractor's compound will be taking much of the space away from the children's usual play areas, we will be making increased use of the field; not something we would usually do at this time of year. We are therefore asking that each child have with them daily

a spare pair of shoes for some potentially muddy play. Please bring these after half term and the shoes can then remain in school.

To begin with, Jackdaw Class will be moving upstairs temporarily whilst their classroom is being worked on. They will use the same entrance and exit to school, with Miss Anderson talking them through the changes to come. There is also the likelihood that Wren Class will need to move their lessons elsewhere whilst some noisy works are carried out. We will of course work closely with the contractors to ensure this runs smoothly.

There will be changes to Lapwing Class' access to their classroom, which is likely to take them up the other stairwell. When this is clearer, Mr Hooton will be on hand to direct the children as necessary.

Once phase one is complete, which is expected to take 17 weeks, the contractor will then move their works to the middle section of the school, Lapwing, Skylark, Sparrow and Wagtail Class.

During the rebuild undoubtedly the smooth running of the school will be affected, so we will keep you updated every step of the way!

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Hannah Beckett
Headteacher
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