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Dear Parent/Carer

I hope this update finds you and yours safe and well.

As we approach our Easter break I just wanted to take this opportunity to thank you for working with us in partnership to ensure a safe and smooth return to school for all pupils.

The majority of our young people have reconnected with school routines and face to face learning in a very positive and productive manner and as always, we will continue to work with parents and carers to ensure the social, emotional and academic needs of all our children are supported.

The willingness of parents and carers to work with us and support us over the last year as we have navigated together national lockdowns, new routines, remote learning and of late, lateral flow testing, has been phenomenal.

The many positive comments, support and messages of thanks that the school has received during this unprecedented year has been a huge source of strength to staff.

During the past year it has been necessary to action and implement a number of government directives, often with little notice and with great inconvenience to families and I would personally like to thank you all for your patience and appreciate your understanding and support.

And so, as we prepare to embrace the Easter break, on behalf of Our Lady and St Bede Catholic Academy, can I wish all our families a Holy, healthy and happy Easter and I look forward to our return on Monday 12th March.

Best wishes



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Headteacher