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October 17th 2016.

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

You will all know that a new curriculum was introduced into schools recently and although this is providing children with really exciting and challenging lessons, fitting everything in that we need to do has become quite difficult.

As a result, we will be making some changes to our school day.

When we come back after the October holiday, lessons will start after registration at 8.55am....Assemblies have been moved to the end of the day.

All children will have morning playtime together but there will be no set afternoon play. Instead, staff and children will 'take a break' when feel it is appropriateThis might be for time on the playground, a walk in the garden or woodland, some kind of physical activity in the classroom or maybe even just some quiet time together.

There will no longer be a staggered lunch timeInstead, all children will go out together at 12.00pm. Y3 and Y4 will go straight up to the dining room and Y5 and Y6 will have 10 minutes on the playground BEFORE they go up for their lunch. Lunchtime for everyone will finish at 1.00pm.

School start times and finish times WILL NOT change.

October holiday.

Just to remind you that school closes this **Thursday, October 20th** and reopens on **Monday October 31st**.

We hope you all have a good break.

Yours sincerely,

J M Stringer