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Dear Parents,

You made it! Congratulations on completing 8 weeks of home schooling, the level of engagement has been incredible and I am so grateful for every effort, thank you.

We are looking forward to welcoming the children back on Monday morning. Please read through the return information sent Monday 1st March in order to familiarise yourself with our systems. Please also share the behaviour addendum at home. If you have any questions over the weekend, please use Studybugs and I will get back to you.

There are three weeks before the Easter break and we want to maximise this time in school. We have set out a plan to ensure a smooth transition back into school, with time to reconnect with each other and familiarise ourselves with the 'normal' school routines. We will focus on character strengths and PSHE sessions, including; self-efficacy, hope, connectedness and gratitude. The teachers will continue with their topic work, Maths and English. The children will all be heard to read by an adult in school during the three weeks and children in Classes 1 (week beginning 15th March) and 2 (Week beginning 8th March) will be assessed to check their book band. During the third week of this term the teachers will complete some assessments with the children in preparation for the summer term. We will host a parent's evening after Easter to share progress and next steps.

I have sent a class form via Studybugs, please complete to help us support your child/ren on their return to school. If you have more than one child at school, please complete the form for their class.

Once again, thank you for your support during the recent school closure, every effort is appreciated and I am overwhelmed by the support to have been able to give your child/ren whilst juggling work yourselves. Thank you also to the teachers who have run a dual provision for those at home and those in school.

Have a super weekend and I will see you on Monday morning,

Best Wishes

Mrs Anderson

Head teacher

