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Dear Parents

Latest Coronavirus Update

I do hope that you and your family have managed to enjoy this glorious Spring sunshine. It has certainly lifted our spirits greatly!

Many thanks for all your feedback as to how your children are accessing 'Fairstead From Home'. We would very much appreciate all your thoughts, positive and negative please, by Friday so that we can improve and hone our online learning provision should it need to continue in the Summer Term.

This week, some teachers have sent out a work pack, in the hope that 'Fairstead From Home' was only for this week, and these have been extremely successful. If, as it seems likely, we will have to continue 'Fairstead From Home' after the Easter holiday, all learning will need to take place online.

A number of school parents have asked about the schedule of fees for next term. We will share our Governors' decision on this with you by the end of week.

On a lighter note, Mark, our delightful local greengrocer who delivers our fresh fruit and vegetables daily, will be delivering in our area and would be delighted to take your orders! Please contact him on 01842 811541 and mention Fairstead House. He is keen to help our families and we are in turn eager to support a local business, which has always provided outstanding produce and service.

Finally, please may I remind you of the importance of booking your child in to Nursery or School by 5.00pm each day, if both partners are frontline Key Workers, so that we may staff appropriately. As we said yesterday, it is imperative that we ask only minimum number of staff to come in.

With best wishes to you and your families,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Lynda Brereton".

Lynda Brereton
Head