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Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to thank you all for the wonderful job you have been doing of supporting your child with home learning. This has been a challenge for everyone but I have been overwhelmed by the determination of our school community to be the best they can be. The Hipsburn staff have been delighted that so many parents have been sharing the learning that has been going on at home.

At the start of this half term, we welcomed back a greater number of children from key workers, Preschool, Reception, Year 1 and more recently Year 6. It has been wonderful to see many of our children and parents and once again the buzz around school has begun to return. Whilst I appreciate more than anybody we do not have a full school of children we are pleased that we are able to accommodate the statutory year groups safely.

Formal end of year reports will be sent out the week beginning on 6th July. These will be sent electronically but if you would like to receive a paper copy we will process these in September. I am busy reading the reports at the moment and it is lovely to see how personal they are to your child - we achieved a lot in school before March 20th! It is also good to see teachers making comments on how our children have managed during lockdown too.

A letter about classes next academic year will be coming soon.

Please see attached a letter from our Chair of Governors - Allison Wort - with regards to the wider re-opening of schools.

Regards,

Kevin Moloney  
Headteacher

