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Dear Parents

Start of Day

Children in KS2 should be in their classes for 8.55am. Doors open at 8.45am. Any child who arrives after 8.55am **must** enter the school by the main entrance. It has come to my attention that parents of late arriving children have knocked on the doors after they have been shut requesting children to open them. In the interest of security, once the doors have been shut they will not be re-opened by a child under any circumstances. Please **do not** ask children to open the doors. All children have been reminded of this and I expect you to adhere by this for the children's safety. KS2 children should only enter the school by the doors from their playground or the main entrance if they are late. It has also come to my attention that a number of KS2 children have been entering the school through the KS1 and Foundation doors please do not do this.

The entrance for Year 1 will be closed at 9am. Should your child be later than this, then they must enter through the main entrance where they will be signed in the late book.

The Education Welfare Officer will be visiting the school later this week and throughout the year, part of her monitoring role is to examine the registers and the late book.

Even if your children rush by the entrance and you do not sign the late book their names are added to the late book by a member of staff. The late book enables us to have an up to date record of who is in the building for safety reasons.

Punctuality is important and teachers have planned activities ready from the moment the children walk through the door. I cannot stress enough the importance of getting to school on time. If this is an issue for you and your child please examine the start of your day and your routines making every effort to get your child to school on time. Children who are late are often embarrassed and this is not a positive start to the day for them.

Parking

Please take care when driving and parking at the front of the school. There have been two accidents that have been reported to me with both cars being damaged. Should you bump or scratch another car it is your responsibility to report it. To drive from an accident is an offense. Please be considerate when driving down Dungannon Road and Listowel Crescent. Both roads are very congested and my concern is for the safety of the children.

Thank you

Mrs Blake



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