



LIFE Education Trust

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Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to wish you a very good half term break and thank you for all your support in the past half term. It has been a real pleasure to welcome all pupils back and we have been fortunate that occurrences of Covid-19 have been very minimal in our schools since Easter.

As part of the government's roadmap out of lockdown, we are pleased that there has been increased freedom since May 17th. Although this has not had a significant impact on the operations of our schools, it has meant that we have been able to go about our daily lives a little more freely. It also means that over the half term break we are all able to meet in slightly larger groups and visit many places which have been locked down for some time.

At this stage we are still hoping that from the 21st June there will be a major lifting of restrictions. We are yet to hear exactly how this will impact schools but we will communicate with you as soon as we can after half term so that you are aware of our plans.

It may be that certain activities and practices do not fully return to normal until September in schools if either the government or our individual schools feel that this is the safest or most sensible course of action.

Please do continue to follow the government advice and regularly test yourself and your families using the Lateral Flow Devices over the coming weeks. We are aware that some London Boroughs have had outbreaks of the Indian variant and we want to ensure that we all remain as safe as possible.

With best wishes

Julian Dutnall

