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Dear Children,

As I am sure you are aware, this week would have been SATs week. The week where, after months of hard work and preparation, you would have demonstrated what you have learned in maths and English over your time with us.

Sadly, due to school closures, you are unable to do this. However, I know how amazing you would have performed! You have worked so hard and approached the whole processes with determination and maturity. Many have attended revision clubs, booster sessions and some have even stayed afterschool, putting in extra hours of work. You should be incredibly proud of yourselves – we are certainly proud of you.

Remember, SATs only judge a small part of your abilities. They do not test your creative art skills, how talented you are at sport or assess how kind and generous as a person you are. Of course, we will be in touch with your secondary schools to discuss your academic abilities, but we will also be telling them about *you*: your interests, hobbies and your endless talents.

The most recent news has stated that Y6 children will return to school before the term is over. **We do not know the exact date of this yet.** But rest assured, when the time comes, we will be over the moon to welcome you back and make the most of time you have left at primary school. I am sorry your year has taken the path it has. You have sacrificed so many things that are part of being a Y6 pupil, but I hope, in years to come, you will be able to look back and appreciate the reasons why – for this you have my utmost respect.

Until then, stay safe. We cannot wait to have you back!

Yours sincerely,

Mr Morgan, Miss Stinton and Mr Sutton.
Y6 Teachers



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