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Dear Parents/Carers

I am writing to update you on changes to the school's curriculum that will commence from 16 January 2023. As you are aware, the school is having a new building which will provisionally be ready for occupancy in September 2025. To enable our new school to be built, we will be moving into a temporary building which will be located on the current playing grounds / field on our site. The building works for this temporary build will commence in January 2023 and will be ready for occupancy in September 2023.

As a result of this, we will no longer have our sports field and halls to be able to undertake PE lessons on site. Therefore, from 16 January 2023, all of your child's PE lessons will take place off site at Fairwater Leisure Centre. The Local Authority has worked closely with the school to ensure that we are able to continue our PE curriculum for all pupils in Years 7 to 13. We will therefore have use of some of the Leisure Centre facilities to include the sports hall, swimming pool and changing rooms. These areas will not be accessible to the public during these times.

Pupils will be taken to Fairwater Leisure Centre by coach, which will be supplied and driven by an approved Local Authority contractor. Whilst there, pupils will have access to a range of sporting activities, including swimming. The Leisure Centre will provide lifeguards when your child is undertaking swimming lessons and they will be supervised by a member of staff at all times. As always, please remind your child that they must listen to all safety and other instructions.

Due to the change to the curriculum, all pupils will be provided with a new timetable from 16 January 2023. It is imperative that you ensure that your child attends school with the correct PE uniform, suitable for the timetabled activity, including swimming costumes and towels, in order to be able to participate in the curriculum offer.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

MRS D GILL  
Headteacher