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Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to clarify the apps that we use in school to communicate with parents and carers. We appreciate that there are a number of different platforms available, so we want to make things as simple and straightforward as possible.

The apps you need

ClassDojo

ClassDojo is used by school for day-to-day communication with parents. Teachers may use ClassDojo to share messages, reminders, updates and information relating to your child and their class.

MCAS – MyChildAtSchool

MCAS is our main school information and communication platform. This is where you will receive important school information, including:

- School letters and announcements
- Important reminders and updates
- Our weekly school newsletter, which is sent every Friday
- Termly year-group newsletters, which are sent during the first week of each term

We therefore recommend that all parents have access to the MCAS app and regularly check for messages and updates.

PFA – Classlist

Our PFA (Parent, Friends and Association) uses the Classlist app for PFA-related activities. You will only need to use Classlist if you wish to take part in PFA activities, such as purchasing:

- School disco tickets
- Raffle tickets
- Other PFA events and fundraising activities

Classlist is not used by school for our main parent communication.

Apps you do NOT need

Please be aware that parents do not need to download or use the Teachers2Parents (T2P) app or the Eduspot app.

School text messages will be delivered directly to your mobile phone, so you do not need either of these apps in order to receive school text messages.

In summary

We hope this clarification helps to make our communication systems easier to understand.

Please ensure that your contact details held by school are kept up to date so that you continue to receive all important communications.

Thank you for your continued support.