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**Acting Headteacher: Mrs Clare Howells**

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Dear Parents/Carers

I just wanted to write and thank those of you who managed to join us last Friday and for sharing your experiences and how you are finding being in a Year 1 class! We are fully aware of the time and commitment that is required from you in order for us to keep up your child's teaching and learning so thank you – you are all doing an amazing job.

The main issue for us, as you are all aware, has been the internet connection. We are greatly relieved that this has now been sorted out.

Following on from the meeting, Miss Berry has:

- Posted her timetable in class files so that you are able to see what is going on during the week.
- Started to structure her morning time where once she has worked with the children they are able to go away from the screen to complete the work with you at home. If your child needs her, please do call.
- Has changed her afternoons to registration, Assembly/DEAR time then an input enabling families at home to leave Teams at that point, around 2pm, to spend the afternoon as they wish, completing the activity or spending time together doing other activities (except for Thursdays).

Finally, I would like to thank you for uploading your child's work so quickly, it really helps Miss Berry to keep on top of the children's learning and her work load.

Yours sincerely

**Mrs C Howells**  
**Acting Headteacher**

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