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Dear Parent/Carer

RAAC Update

Thank you for your continued patience and understanding in this most unusual of circumstances.

Since our last communication to you before the Christmas break, we have been continuing to work closely with our colleagues at the DfE to progress the work, to date:

- A specialist structural engineer has designed an appropriate and safe solution that will allow the school to become fully operational again – this is a full roof replacement.
- We are in receipt of tenders from suitably qualified contractors and are looking to appoint.

Current teaching arrangements will be in place until Summer 2024.

We will continue to do everything we can as a Trust to expediate any works and get us back together on one site and quickly and safely as possible.

We would like to thank our pupils and their families, our staff, and our wider communities for their continued support during this unprecedented time.

Our pupils continue to amaze us with their resilience and adaptability, and we are eternally grateful for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Frances Cessford Headteacher

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