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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we come to the end of what has been one of the hottest and most challenging weeks many of us can remember, I simply wanted to say thank you.

Leading a school is never about one person making decisions; it is about a whole community working together to do what is best for children. This week has been a wonderful example of that.

When the temperatures in many of our classrooms climbed well above 30°C, we knew we had to think differently. Every decision we made was centred around one question: 'What is the safest and kindest thing for our children?' Your support allowed us to do exactly that.

Thank you to every family who was able to keep their child at home or collect them early. I know that for many of you this wasn't easy and meant changing work commitments or rearranging family plans. By doing so, you helped us reduce the number of children in our very warm classrooms and ensured we could keep places available for those families who genuinely had no other option. It made an enormous difference and I am incredibly grateful.

I have also been genuinely touched by the many kind emails, messages and conversations thanking us for our communication throughout the week. As Headteacher, I believe that families deserve openness, honesty and timely information, particularly when we are dealing with situations outside of our control. Knowing that these communications helped you make decisions for your own family has meant a great deal to me, so thank you for taking the time to let me know.

I also want to publicly thank our incredible staff. This week has tested everyone. Teaching and supporting children in classrooms that have felt more like greenhouses than learning spaces has been physically exhausting. They have shown extraordinary resilience, flexibility and care. They have put the children first every single day, despite working in extremely uncomfortable conditions themselves. I could not be prouder to lead such a dedicated team and I know you will join me in thanking every member of staff for the kindness, professionalism and commitment they have shown this week.

Finally, thank you for embracing every mitigation we put in place—sending hats and water bottles, allowing children to wear cooler clothing, responding so quickly to our surveys and working alongside us every step of the way. It reminded me just how special the Trinity community is.

Although the forecast is thankfully much kinder next week, our school building will take a little while to cool down. We will continue to monitor conditions carefully and ensure children remain as comfortable as possible. This week has reminded me that schools are at their strongest when staff and families work together with a shared purpose. I have never been more grateful to be part of such a supportive, understanding and caring community.

Thank you once again for everything you have done.

I hope you all have a restful and well-deserved weekend and I hope to see you all at the fete tomorrow. 😊

Best wishes,

Mrs K. McMahon
Headteacher