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Dear Parents and Carers,

I'm sure that for most of you it has been a challenging week with the recent introduction of the wet weather and I am sure that you can now understand our staff's dread of wet playtimes at school! Being couped up is not great and I know you are all doing your best to keep your children engaged and entertained. Our schools continue to work very hard to keep in contact with you and learning packs and ideas have been shared through the many communication systems, Google Classrooms and within the home learning sections in school websites.

I know that the children that are currently home learning are working hard but I am sure that they are also anxious and worried at this time. Therefore, in my video message for today on Facebook and the TTLT website <https://www.ttl.academy/>, I will be speaking directly to the children. I do hope that you can share this video with them.

Please don't forget that if you are experiencing any problems that are non medical or non educational, you can contact the Trust's support helpline on **07944 224 266**, Monday to Friday 10am-3pm where our staff are on hand to signpost parents to external services and offer help, where possible.

I do hope that the weather improves for the weekend and that you are all able to get outside and exercise. Again, thank you for all that you are doing in ensuring that we continue to work together, to achieve for all.

Best wishes,

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