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Dear Parents,

I hope that you have all had a restful holiday and are looking forward to the start of the new term. Towards the end of the last academic year, Broomfield School sent out a consultation letter to their pupils and parents, proposing a shorter school day. Yesterday, I received a response from the Headteacher informing me of the outcome.

The Governors met under the consultation and the decision was made that Broomfield will alter the ending of their school day from 3.15pm to 3.00pm. **However, this will not come into effect until they have more of the driveway back.** They are mindful that it would be very crowded given the current size of the walkway into the school.

They do not yet have a date for when this change will take effect, as it is largely dependent on the building works. Once they do have a date, the Headteacher has reassured me that they shall provide a reasonable notice period. He also confirmed that it should certainly come into effect this academic year, however they do not yet know whether or not it will be before Christmas.

Due to this outcome, the school day at Bowes Southgate Green will continue to end at **3pm** until Broomfield have given us notice. Once we have a confirmed date, I will write another letter to parents informing them that the school day will end at 3:15pm at both of the Bowes sites.

I hope that you enjoy the remaining days left of the holiday and look forward to seeing you on the 4th September.

Yours sincerely,

Effie Demetriou
Headteacher