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Dear parents and carers,

## Re: Return to school

It was a busy start to the second part of the Autumn term with a full training day on the Monday for teachers and teaching assistants on metacognition and how we can use this to support our pupils.

It was lovely to welcome you all back on Tuesday, great to see pupils settling into their learning happily. Thank you for sending in your child/ren in weather appropriate clothing – it is certainly turning wintery.

Mrs Fuller (nee Brydon) has spent some time this week in classrooms looking at pupils' experiences and seeing what a day in the life of a William Harding pupil looks like. She was pleased with how highly pupils talked about the school and their positive attitudes to learning. From here we will be able to review any ways to make our curriculum and timetables even more effective for our pupils.

We are also delighted to welcome some new pets to each year group, as we know pets support pupils and their learning invaluable – information will be coming out shortly.

Thank you so much for your ongoing support.

Best wishes,

Miss Cotchin  
Headteacher

Our School Values are: Inclusion, Perseverance, Honesty, Respect, Responsibility and Collaboration.

