



Dear parents and carers,

Phoenix has been a real hive of activity during the summer holidays! As mentioned in previous newsletters and also at the new parents meeting, the school is fortunate to be part of the 'School Building Improvement Programme' (SPIB) and the refurbishment to upgrade many aspects of the school have started but will continue during the whole academic year. This includes a new roof, windows and doors, lighting, heating and many other improvements. I have had regular site meetings during the holidays with the Local Authority team who are facilitating the project, and these will continue on a weekly basis. A project manager is on site at all times, and they ensure the project runs smoothly and all aspects of Health and Safety procedures are followed. I will send out regular updates to keep you informed as there may be some impact on the usual routines at some points of the project.

When the children start next week the most obvious impact initially is the scaffolding! It is around the whole school site, but all walk ways to usual entrances are accessible. Please ensure that your children are supervised in the morning and stay clear of the scaffolding. They will be excited to see it at first so please explain that there is scaffolding around the site and why it is there. We will talk to the children about the site improvements too when they start back so they understand what is happening and why.



To help the project run smoothly and safely please ensure that you park safely and considerately as there will be more traffic due to the contractors on site. The school is on the top of a hill, on a bend and this can impair visibility to other drivers and families crossing the road. We work closely with Notts Parking Partnership to ensure parking enforcement is in place - this is to keep our community safe. Please do not use the school car park at any times. Please take a look at this information and short video about parking [Parking | Phoenix Infant and Nursery School](#)



I
will

send out a further update in my first newsletter next week to keep you posted. I cannot wait see the children next week and hear about their summer adventures. As always, thank you for your continue support. Have a great weekend,

Mrs Harper and the Phoenix Team.