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Dear Parents and Carers,

Now the weather is starting to improve, Beach Schools lessons will be able to restart after the half term.

Below are the new dates for your child's beach school session. Once again, the children will be divided into two groups. If your child is in Class 1 or Class 2, you will receive a separate letter with your child's exact beach school date nearer the time.

Date	Class
26.02.25	Class 3
05.03.25	Class 4
12.03.25	Half of Class 1 (pm session)
19.03.25	Half of Class 1 (pm session)
26.03.25	Half of Class 2 (pm session)
02.04.25	Half of Class 2 (pm session)

Whilst the Beach School philosophy is that 'There is no such thing as bad weather, just inappropriate clothing', if the weather is too extreme for the lesson to be productive, purposeful and enjoyable, it will be rescheduled.

Last term, the Beach Schools Lessons were very successful. The children enjoyed these lessons immensely and they gained a lot from the experience. Therefore, we ask for your support in ensuring that on your child's beach school's visit day they are dressed appropriately for the weather e.g. raincoat, hat, gloves, sunhat etc. We also ask that your child brings in **wellies** to change into before they head to the beach. If the weather is hot and sunny, please ensure that your child has suncream applied (or with them in their bag from them to apply themselves). Appropriate clothing is so important as it ensures that your child is dry and comfortable as well as allowing them to join in with every activity.

Please do not hesitate to contact me, if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Katie Gopee  
Class Teacher and Beach Schools Practitioner

*Learning is a journey, not a destination*

