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Dear Parent / Carer,

I hope you and your family are continuing to keep well.

As we begin to recover from Covid-19, we are looking at the practices we have adapted and what has worked well.

Throughout this school year, we have removed registration time at the beginning of the school day. Usually this accounts for 10 minutes per day from 8.45am – 8.55am. Your child is registered every period so the necessity to have this slot is no longer necessary.

In order to maximise learning and teaching time, if we permanently removed registration time, we could add an additional period (50 minutes) of learning for all young people every week. This would mean that S1-S4 would be able to have 5 periods of English and Maths per week. It would also give us time for S5 and S6 to widen their achievement.

Staff are in favour of this and it has also been shared with our Parent Carer Teacher Council. This would mean that we would have 3 longer days and 2 shorter days.

I have attached a paper to explain this change further and give some options. If you can, please complete the attached form (by Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> May 2021) to help us gather your views.

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=oyzTzM4Wj0KVQTctawUZKdSj65C6Mlplmz0poRY4WBRUNTU4REhaSTJVSOFIR1NLM0ExOTQxMFhMVy4u>

We are also considering further opportunities for pupils in S1 and S2, initially, to increase their creativity, wider achievement and learning beyond subject areas.

If you require any further information please contact the school or you can also talk to our Parent Carer Teacher Council, who can liaise with us. Their e mail address is [shawlandsacademypctc@gmail.com](mailto:shawlandsacademypctc@gmail.com)

Very best wishes,

Mrs Pauline Carr  
Head Teacher

***If you require this letter in a different format or language, please let us know by phoning or e mailing the school (using the contact details provided).***



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