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Dear Parent/Guardian

In a move to improve home-school communication we have adopted a paperless approach to contacting parents and carers. With the growth in e-mail, smartphones and general home computer use, we have noticed this is the preferred method of communication for many parents now. There are benefits for all parents and carers adopting this method of communication.

- Communicating with home directly via e-mail is far more reliable and far faster than depending on students to deliver letters and notices home. I am sure we have all found letters that are weeks old at the bottom of a school bag.
- More frequency of information, keeping parent/carers better informed.

In addition to the above, to enable the school to send out 'group' texts, we will be using your mobile telephone number as our first point of contact. We ask that you supply a mobile number if we do not already have one.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kevin McConnachie".

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