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We are seeking your support in promoting safe play during football games at break and lunchtime.

While we actively encourage children to enjoy being physically active and participating in sport, it is important that all playground activities remain safe, respectful and enjoyable for everyone.

During assembly, we reminded pupils that physical challenges, pushing and rough tackling are not appropriate during school football games, as these behaviours can lead to injuries, disagreements and upset. Staff will continue to support pupils in playing safely and fairly and will regularly reinforce our playground expectations.

Where a child is finding it difficult to follow these expectations, and their play is impacting the safety or enjoyment of others, they may be asked to take a short break from football. This provides an opportunity for reflection and discussion before they return to the game.

We would appreciate your support in discussing with your child the importance of playing safely, showing respect for others and making positive choices during games. By working together, we can help ensure that football remains a fun, inclusive and enjoyable activity for all pupils.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Ed Clinton

Head Teacher



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