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Dear Parents/Carers

Subject: Heating

I write with good news about our heating system – for a change!

We have been successful in securing £800,000 of emergency capital support to purchase and install a suite of gas boilers to replace our defunct oil boilers. Work will begin very soon to install these. In the meantime, we are leasing temporary boilers to ensure that the school is warm this winter.

This solution falls short of our ambition to deliver carbon-neutral heating. However, the modern gas boilers are far more energy efficient and cheaper to run. The donations made towards a green energy solution will be redirected into other energy saving projects, so overall this will be a big step forwards in reducing our carbon footprint.

Our next step is to apply for government funding to replace the heating distribution system, which will make our school even more energy efficient.

Installation will cause no disruption to students as our boiler room is well out of the way.

Yours sincerely

Matthew Evans
Headteacher

