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Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope that this letter finds you well. Yet again it has been an eventful year and I know many of you have suffered at the hands of the pandemic. Unfortunately, it does feel like there is still a way to go before we see the back of it!!

It has been great to see the improvement in many of our student's attendance. Understandably it has been difficult for them, however, it is crucial that they do attend so we can support them into their next phase of education, employment or training.

It is also great to see our students do so much for charitable causes. Putting others before themselves is a great attribute and something I feel immensely proud that they are doing. A lot of this good work is shared on our Twitter page, so if you don't already follow us, make sure you do!! It would be great to see more of you on our 'feeds'. @springfieldPRU

As we continue to celebrate the success of our young people, we will have a rewards session at lunchtime on Friday 17th December. Following this the students will be free to go home after they've had their lunch at 12:50. Please can you let the office know if this is an issue and we can support you.

Today begins the start of new measurements that have been put in place to try to stop the rise in Covid cases. If your child has been in contact with a confirmed case of someone with Covid, they will need to take Lateral Flow Tests (LFTs) for the next seven days and record and report the outcomes using the NHS system. We will be sending your child home with a supply of tests in order for them to carry out a test prior to them returning to school on **Tuesday 4 January 2022**. Thank you in anticipation of your support in this matter.

Finally, thank you as always for your continued support. Have a fantastic Christmas and all the very best for the New Year.

Yours sincerely,



Colin Douro
Headteacher