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**Dear Parents and Carers** 

Re: Reinforced Autoclaved Aerated Concrete (RAAC)

I hope this letter finds you well following a pleasant summer.

You no doubt will have seen the news reports about reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC) and the closure of schools across the country. This bubble-like, lightweight concrete was used in the construction of many public buildings, including schools, in the 1960s and 1970s and is meant to have a lifespan of 30 years.

I pleased to let you know that following an inspection carried out by structural engineers in July 2023, it has been determined that there is no RAAC in the roof of our main site on Swanstree Avenue.

I hope this will put your mind at rest however, if you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Best Wishes & Warmest Regards,

Yours faithfully

Jill M. Palmer Executive Principal

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