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Dear Parents and carers,

What a relief it is to have made it into April finally. We have the prospect of the summer term ahead, with warmer days and lighter evenings, along with the easing of restrictions on socialising and family get-togethers. Thank you so much for your continued support and partnership over what has been a very challenging year, not just for our community or even our country but for the whole of humanity spread across the globe.

At our schools, staff and children have been thrilled to be back together since the 8th March and we have been fortunate once again not to have to close any bubbles. Marish Academy Trust 's focus on developing resilience has paid off, with most children eagerly accessing the high quality face to face learning that is vital to their continued achievement and wellbeing.

The summer term starts on Monday 19th April at the usual times. Before that on the 12th April nonessential shops will reopen and so after the Easter holidays, we expect everyone to wear full uniform with pride. Please also remember to book your child's lunches online, along with any childcare or after school provision in the usual way. If your family is experiencing financial hardship, please speak to a member of staff you trust and we will do whatever we can to help.

At the end of March, the Parliamentary Review for 2021 was published, including an article on Marish Academy Trust. The introduction states:

'The ability to listen and learn from one another has always been vital in parliament, in business and in most aspects of daily life. But at this particular moment in time, as national and global events continue to reiterate, it is uncommonly crucial that we forge new channels of communication and reinforce existing ones.'

Over the last year, our community, centred on Marish Academy Trust has learnt that whilst we cannot predict the future, we must listen and learn from each other. In consequence we have forged partnerships which have been strengthened by our experience of facing the challenges of the pandemic together and which will be sustained moving forward by our shared hope of a brighter future.

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