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Learning together inside and outside the classroom

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Important Information Regarding Upcoming Roadworks and School One-Way System

Dear Parents/Carers,

You may already have received information from Severn Trent regarding the upcoming water mains improvement works on Stanway Road. These works are due to begin on **27 October 2026** and are expected to last for approximately **15 weeks**, with a break over the Christmas period. During this time, the road between the Wood Stanway turning and the Stanway exit will be closed to through traffic.

I wanted to reassure you that I have met with both the site manager and customer liaison officer from Severn Trent to discuss the impact on school access. Following these discussions, they have kindly agreed to **pause the road closure during our busiest times** to allow families to continue using the school's voluntary one-way system.

The road will be reopened daily for:

- Morning drop-off: 8:40am - 8:55am
- Afternoon pick-up: 3:20pm - 3:35pm

As a result, please continue to use the school's voluntary one-way system exactly as normal during these times. This arrangement should help minimise disruption and maintain the safe flow of traffic around the school.

Outside of these times, the road closure and signed diversion route will remain in place.

I have attached the letter from Severn Trent for your information, which provides further details about the project and the diversion arrangements.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation. We are very grateful to the Severn Trent team for working with us to find a practical solution to minimise disruption for our families.

Yours faithfully

J R A Godding

Mr Godding
Headteacher