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Dear Parent/Carers

I am delighted to tell you that our new Gibside School website is now live. We are very pleased with it so far and will continue to add content that you will hopefully find useful. Visit www.gibsidesschool.org to find out more. Please let us know if you would like us to include any other information.

We have changed to a new IT provider during the summer holidays and have had a few technical issues at the start of term. We are aware that our text system (IRIS/MyEd) has not been working as it should be. We are working together with the company to fix these problems and will hopefully be back to normal in the next few days. Thank you for your patience; we will keep you updated. As part of the new IT system, there is now a new school email address to contact the main school office. Please email us at admin@gibsidesschool.uk.

You should have received some forms this week asking you to check your contact details and provide your consent for various activities. It is really important you check your contact details and that you have included at least two contacts in case of emergency. Please return these to school as soon as you can.

As you know, we will be closed on Monday 19th September for Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II's State Funeral. School will be open again as normal on Tuesday 20th September.

Finally, congratulations to everyone who took part in last week's Great North Run. Our team of amazing Gibside fundraisers have already raised over £5,200. We will keep you informed about how your fundraising efforts benefit all our children at Gibside School.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely

Angela Whistler
Headteacher

