Redlands Community
Primary School
Working Together and Aiming for Excellence

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Dear:

I am very sorry to be sending you this letter today, as I hoped to send you good news. Unfortunately, your child has chosen to disrespect their learning by:

- Absconding from class
- Ignoring instructions from an adult
- Task avoidance
- Work refusal
- Defacing their work
- Deliberately wasting time
- Distracting others

As such, your child has missed out on valuable learning time and support from the Class Teacher and/or Learning Support Assistant. Therefore, your child has not completed the set tasks in the time that was given. This means that your child is likely to fall behind the rest of the class and not achieve the results that are expected of them for lesson. Time spent managing with your child's behaviour choices, is time and support taken from the rest of the class and can have a detrimental effect on their learning.

As a result, we are now asking parents to support the school to ensure that your child gets the best education possible. For every piece of school work that is incomplete during the allocated lesson, your child has taken a photocopy of that work home, to be completed by the next school day for the teacher to mark. If this work has not been completed, we will log this on our internal system and arrange a meeting with you to discuss a way forward.

As we want the best for the children at Redlands and take their attainment and progress very seriously. We also firmly believe that education is not only something that is taught between the hours of 8:45am-3:15pm, but something that will continue throughout their lifetime. We hope that your support in this matter will reaffirm our expectations and help your child respect their learning - thus impacting on their future.

Thank you for your continued support, as we strive to improve learning outcomes for your child. We know that you want to see your child achieve what they are truly capable of.

As always, myself and the Senior Leadership Team are happy to discuss this matter with you, should you wish to.

Kind regards,

Michelle Tobin
Headteacher