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Dear East Hoathly families,

A very warm welcome back to school and the new academic year. I hope you all had a lovely summer holiday and are ready for a busy and exciting year ahead. The team here at East Hoathly have worked incredibly hard on the environment and the school is looking fantastic.

We have made a few changes over recent months and would like to invite parents in to see these changes either next Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> or Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September. The school will be open from 3pm – 3:45pm on these days. This will also give an opportunity to meet your child's class teacher. Some of the changes include: 'The Oasis' which is a zones of regulation room, Sensory Circuit Corridor and changes to the Year 1 and 2 classroom.

The children have had a wonderful few days back and have been busy voting on new house team theme and names. We are very excited to announce that the children voted on Mythical Creatures and the four team names are: Phoenix, Kraken, Basilisk and Griffin. Next Friday the children are going to get in to their house teams to design their logo, shield and Motto. Over the year the children will come together in their house teams for a variety of reasons like sports day or curriculum days etc.

We have also introduced Year 6 Prefects and these children will also be the House Captains for their teams. The Prefects will have different roles and responsibilities over the year.

It has been a pleasure to be in each class over the last 3 days and see all the children happy and engaged in their learning. Our new Woodland is up and running and it is lovely to welcome our new children into Reception.

Best wishes,

Mrs Briley

