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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope this message finds you well.

As you may be aware, we are currently in the sacred month of Ramadan, a time during which Muslims around the world devote themselves to prayer, fasting, charity and reflection. The end of Ramadan is determined by the sighting of the moon and as such the specific date cannot be pre-determined. It is anticipated that **Eid al-Fitr** will fall on either **Thursday 19th March or Friday 20th March 2026**.

In most circumstances, we are able to operate as normal during this time. However, due to the high number of Muslim staff observing Eid, alongside a relatively small number of Muslim children that attend our setting this year, we will need to make temporary adjustments to our extended day provision in order to remain open for the majority of the day.

For children who usually attend our extended day provision on the affected date, the adjusted hours will be:

8:30am – 4:00pm

Unfortunately, we will not be able to offer breakfast or tea provision on this day. Lunch will be provided as usual.

For sessional children (three- and four-year-olds), session times will remain unchanged:

8:45am – 11:45am
12:45pm – 3:45pm

For our two-year-old children, sessional hours will also remain the same:

9:00am – 12:00pm
1:00pm – 4:00pm

We sincerely apologise for any inconvenience this may cause. We have made every effort to minimise disruption and are grateful that we are able to remain open rather than close completely. We will provide you with the confirmed date as soon as we are made aware, however as this depends on the moon being sighted, notice will be very last minute. Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

Kind regards,

Rohan Allen

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