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Dear Parents and Carers

You may have seen recent media coverage regarding Reinforced Autoclaved Aerated Concrete (RAAC) and its use in educational settings. RAAC is a lightweight form of concrete; because it is weaker than regular concrete, concerns have been raised about its long-term durability. The Department for Education (DfE) has recently changed its guidance to education settings on the management of RAAC to take a more precautionary approach and as a result areas in affected spaces will be vacated.

Nottinghamshire County Council has been aware of the issue for some time and has been working closely with schools and the DfE to survey education settings in line with Government guidance. The current impact of RAAC across Nottinghamshire remains low. The Council has undertaken assessments of all maintained schools and there are no further concerns identified that require closure or partial closure to school buildings. Currently only one primary academy in Nottinghamshire has been required to make alternative arrangements to the start of term.

If you have any further questions, then please get in touch via the usual methods.

Yours faithfully,

*Adrian Nash*

Head Teacher

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