



Tuesday 25th November 2025

Dear Thomas Fairchild Families,

**Re: Flooding Update**

I am writing to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation for your support last week. It was wonderful to have everyone back at school yesterday, and for us all to get back to learning and enjoying school life! The children have really impressed us with their resilience and positive attitude.

In assembly I shared with children details of the flooding incident and reassured them that the school is safe for us all to be in. The flooding incident was caused by an issue with a sprinkler in Blue class. The fire department and engineers arrived on site quickly and stopped the spread of water. Engineers worked tirelessly to remove the excess water and dry out all affected areas. Due to their quick response, the damage was minimised and we were able to complete repair work and cleaning from Thursday to Sunday.

We are currently working closely with Hackney Council to arrange further repair works and to order replacement resources and furniture for the affected classrooms. Our sprinkler system has been thoroughly checked and is fully operational.

Thank you once again for your patience, understanding and ongoing support during this time. If you have any questions at all, please arrange to speak to me via the school office.

Warm regards,

**Matt Trahair**  
Headteacher