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Dear Parents

As you may be aware, one of our members of staff is called Luna. She is of course our school dog. She has been with us since she was 8 weeks old and is very used to the school, children and staff. She is seen around school, will attend lessons from time to time and eventually will become a fully fledged reading / therapy dog (once her training is complete). She is also a lovely, happy, non-judgemental presence in school that always adds to the every educational experience and well-being of all at Droxford Junior School.

We wanted you to know that aside from all the benefits of having a school dog we have shown diligence in the process of recruitment! We have carried out extensive risk assessments and have public insurance and liability in place. She herself is insured, visits the vet regular (one of our parents is a vet and kindly advises us) and attends regular training. Her welfare is as important to us as those children and adults in school.

Please can you sign and return the reply slip below, to confirm that you are aware of the educational programme she will be involved in and to ensure we have all up to date information regarding any potential nervousness / fears and / or allergies?

Thank you.

Matthew Dampier  
Headteacher

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Child: \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that a dog will be used in my child's classroom on a regular basis to support academic, social and emotional learning.

My child is/is not cautious or fearful of dogs (\*delete as applicable)

My child is/is not allergic to dogs (\* delete as applicable)

Please share any other information you feel we may require at this point.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

