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Dear Parents of Y6

I write to update you of Mr Beeston's absence.

We do appreciate that any absence of teachers unsettles children and it is not ideal for any child.

Mr Beeston would love to be back at school as soon as possible. However, he is following medical advice regarding a very painful back condition. He is likely to be off school for the next 2 weeks.

With regards to covering Mr Beeston's teaching commitment, we have an experienced supply teacher, Mr Davies, who will teach the Monday, Thursday and Friday. Mr Davies has worked well with staff and pupils before and we feel this will be a consistent approach. Mrs Chapman will continue to teach all day Wednesdays and I plan to teach Tuesday afternoons in Edale. I taught Edale this week and I must compliment them on their positive attitude, teamwork, effort and sense of humour. We enjoyed the orienteering activity and I thoroughly enjoyed teaching them.

Mr Beeston plans to be back at school before too long and we all wish him a speedy recovery. In the meantime, if parents have any concerns please contact me and I will do my best to help.

Yours sincerely,

Mr J Emery
Headteacher