

THE ECCLESBOURNE SCHOOL

'Learning Together For The Future'



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Reinforced Autoclaved Aerated Concrete (RAAC)

Dear parents and carers,

You may be aware from media coverage that the government has asked some schools to close or partially close due to the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC) in their school buildings. We understand that this is an unsettling news story and that it may naturally have led you to wonder about the safety of our school buildings. **Our school does not contain RAAC and is fully safe to open.** This has been confirmed by our structural engineers following on-site inspection.

I hope that this provides reassurance, and we look forward to welcoming your child back to school this week.

If you have any questions, please contact Steve Cocking (Facilities Manager) or John Minton (Community Liaison Officer) at 01332 843 200.

Yours sincerely,

James McNamara

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