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Dear Parents and Carers

We are aware that, as we approach the start the Muslim holy month of Ramadan, some families may wish their older children, who have reached puberty, to fast. Whilst we are supportive of the beliefs and practices of all faiths, I would ask that you consider the implications and effects of fasting on young children in school, in terms of their health and learning.

If you wish your children to fast in school, at any time during Ramadan, we will require a written request from home. Please note that we will not be able to approve any requests to fast for children in Y4 and below as this is not in the child's best interests. We hope that Ramadan is a good month for all our families.

Yours faithfully,

Christopher Holder
Headteacher

