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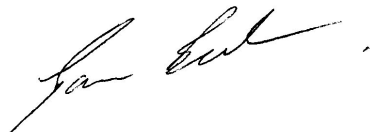
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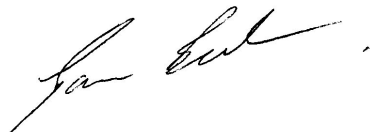
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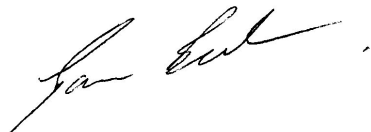
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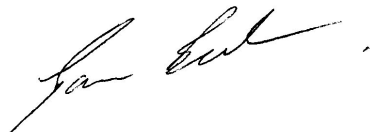
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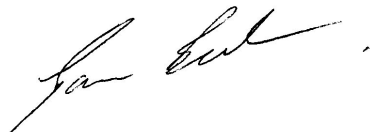
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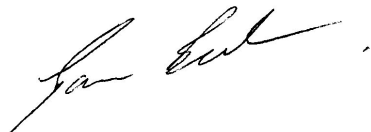
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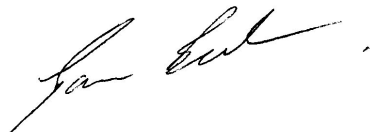
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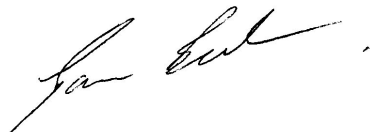
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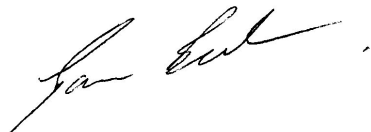
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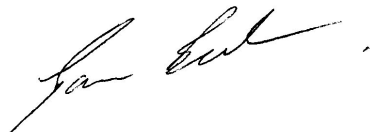
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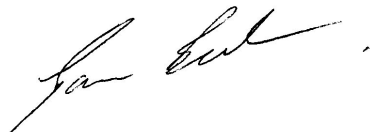
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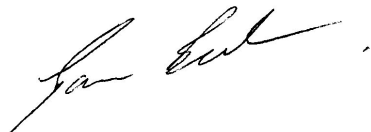
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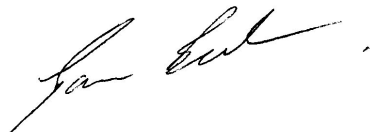
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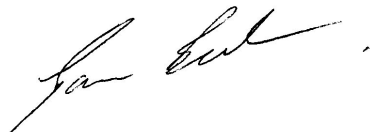
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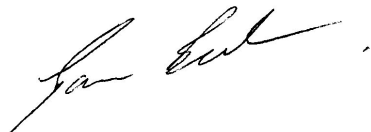
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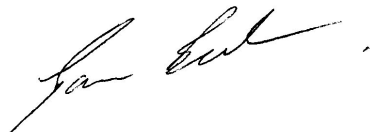
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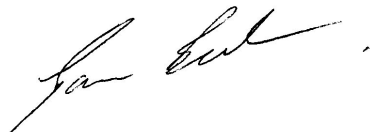
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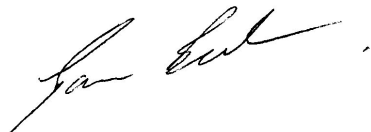
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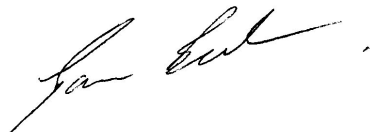
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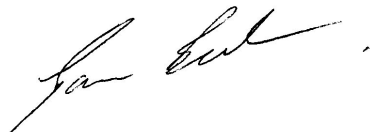
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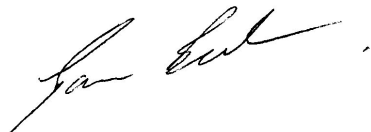
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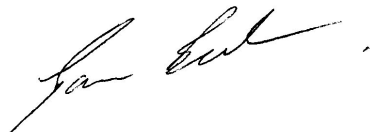
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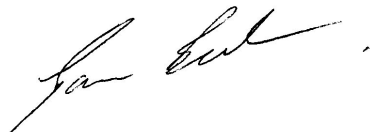
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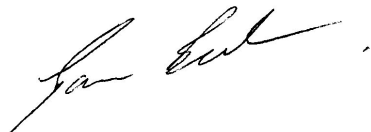
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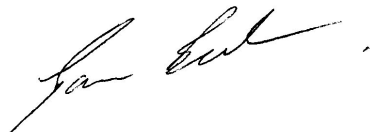
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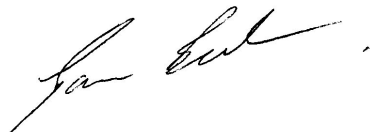
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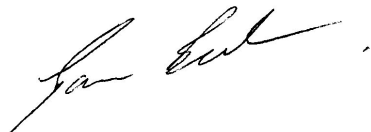
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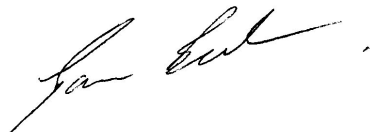
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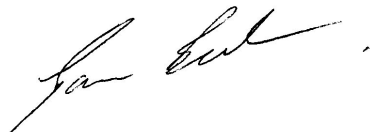
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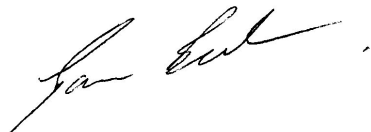
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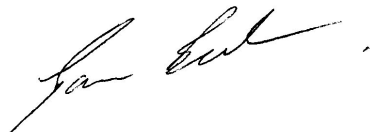
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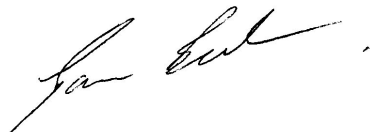
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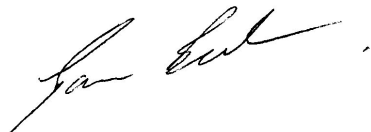
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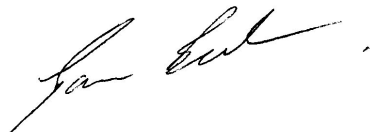
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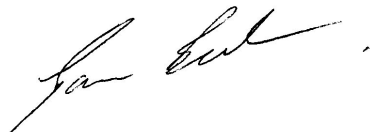
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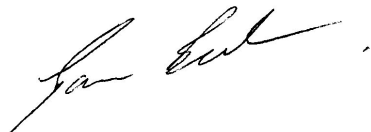
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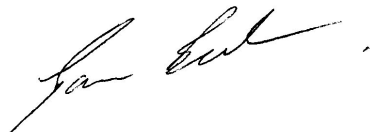
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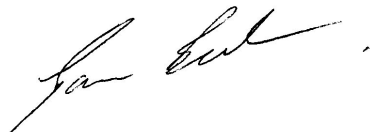
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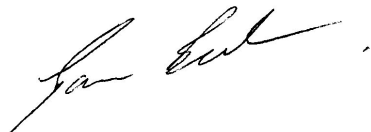
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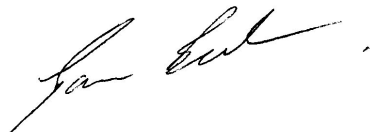
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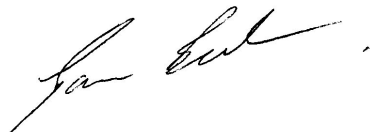
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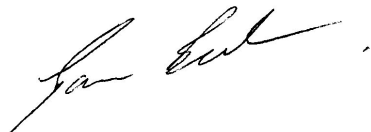
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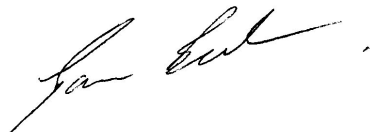
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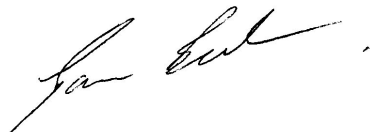
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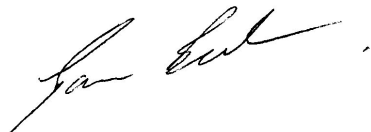
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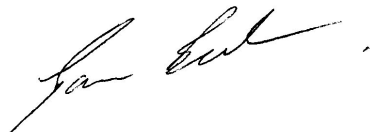
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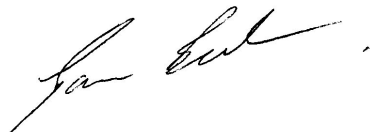
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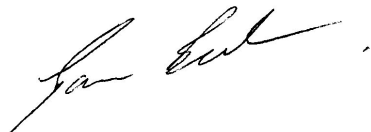
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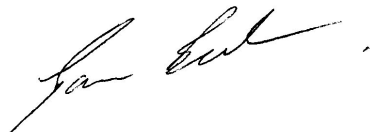
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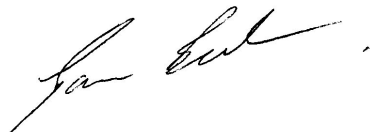
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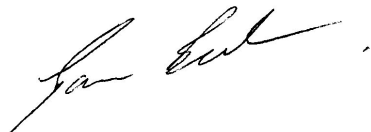
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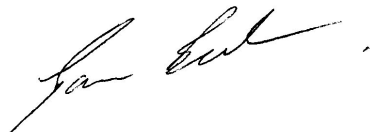
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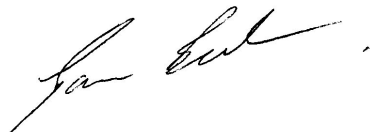
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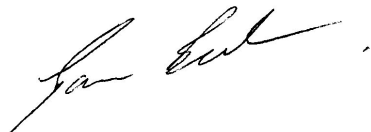
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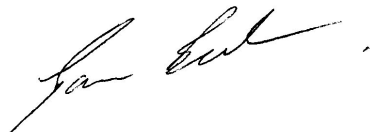
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6<sup>th</sup> October 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

I was delighted to hear how well our football team competed last Wednesday in a tournament. We were the smallest school there competing against schools some of which are over four times larger than our school. We only conceded four goals against us in all the matches we played. I am told Oscar was amazing in goal.

**Parking** - This week we have had two people contact the school to express their concern about dangerous and unhelpful parking around the school. On one occasion a local resident could not take a delivery from a large lorry because of a vehicle parked opposite their driveway. Another expressed concerns about the safety of the children because of cars mounting the pavement outside the school because of cars parked opposite the school. Please consider parking a little distance from the school without obstructing driveways and walk the last short distance to the school.

**Harvest** - We hope all those who were able to attend the Harvest Service in Church today enjoyed it and were reminded about how much we have and to be grateful. We have had a small amount of goods donated for harvest to be sent to the local foodbank. I suspect with the PTFA cake sale, parents had enough to remember this week. Because of this we are happy to take donations over next week.

Thank you to all the parents who came to parents evening and for sticking to time. We trust that you found it beneficial. If you have any comments about what was shared or how we could make it better we welcome feedback. Please just pop us a note. I know many of you said how much your children were enjoying reading at the moment for example.

A representative of Blythswood Trust who will be sending "Christmas Shoeboxes" came into school this week and shared what the children could do and where the boxes will be going. You have received a leaflet regarding this. As a first this year they have provided shoeboxes that have already been wrapped for you to fill. If you would like any to fill just ask your child to bring one home. If you wish to wrap your own you are welcome to do so. (Please read the leaflet carefully for full instructions).

#### Reminders

Class 1 and 2 have their trip to Twycross Zoo on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October

There is a cross country race at Vipers RFC Whetstone on Tuesday. (Please let school know if you are going if you have not already done so.)

Flu Vaccines are taking place in school on Thursday. If you want your child to have one you must book one for them with the service. Please let the school know if you do not want your child to have one if you have not already.

We break up for half term at the end of the day next Friday (13<sup>th</sup> October).

Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock.  
(Matthew chapter 7 verse 24, NIV)

**Menu changes** – The kitchen have advised that there will be a couple of changes to the menu week commencing 30<sup>th</sup> October. These changes will also be shared on Class Dojo:

TUESDAY 31 October

Jacket Potato cheese and beans, salad

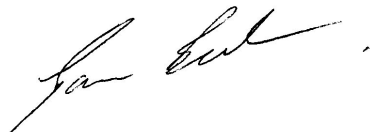
THURSDAY 2nd November

Bonfire Menu Hot Dogs, wedges, beans, coleslaw, toffee apple crumble and custard

FRIDAY 3 November

Fish fingers and Chips

Yours sincerely



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