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Dear Parents/Carers



From week commencing Monday, 5 March, the **text messages** you receive from school will appear differently on your phone - please don't panic! The information we have received from Teachers2Parents about this change is as follows:

Teachers2Parents have introduced an additional new **security verification** measure to allow you to check that the messages you receive are from school.

Similar to telephone banking, you will continue to receive messages from a secure number with the school name/message ID now in the body of the message, accompanied with a link at the beginning of the message to click through to a Teachers2Parents verification page; confirming that the sender of the message is genuine.

This added security measure is another step forward to help reassure you of the safety and wellbeing of your child at school.

We hope you agree that this added security measure bolsters reassurance that any important communication about your child is safe and you can always be sure that it has been sent by your child's school.

For more information about Teachers2Parents, please visit <https://eduspot.co.uk/product/teachers2parents/>

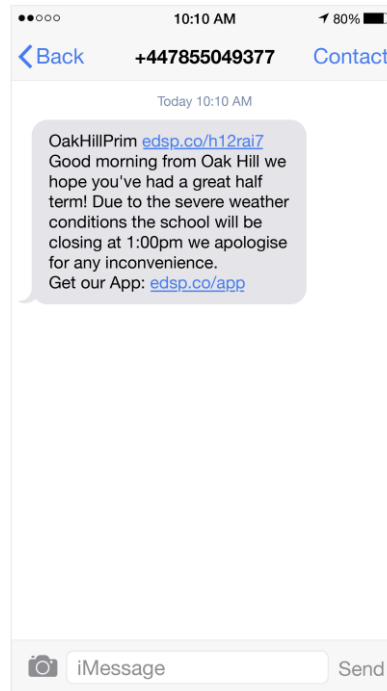
Please see the screen-shots overleaf so that you know what to expect.

Yours sincerely

Suzanne Pointon
School Office



A typical message will look like this:



When you click to verify the message, you will be taken to the following screen:

