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Dear Parent

I am writing to you regarding the road traffic accident that occurred yesterday evening on the Movilla Road. A pupil from Chuckles was involved and is in a critical condition. We do not know any further details about the accident at this time except that the rest of the family is safe.

Today the teachers and I have spoken to our P3 to P7 classes about what has happened using guidance from the Education Authority's critical incident team. Many children were already aware that a child has been seriously hurt in a road accident and the doctors in hospital are doing everything they can to make him better. Pupils in P1 and P2 classes have not been made aware of what has happened as a whole class. Some children in the P1 and P2 classes did know about the incident and staff have spoken to these children individually.

Chuckles was closed today but will reopen on Monday morning.

The Christmas Service that was scheduled for this morning will be rescheduled. Further information will be provided at a more appropriate time.

Can I thank you all for your support for the family and our school at this terrible time.

J Gray
Principal