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Dear Friends of Ripley School,

The I.E.B. and Headteachers have been considering the situation around Pre School provision at Ripley Endowed. We are very grateful to the families and children who have supported and benefitted from the facility and for the staff who have worked within it.

Unfortunately, we have only had two applications for places for September 2022. Sadly, it is neither financially nor educationally viable to continue Pre School provision with such small numbers. We have therefore recommended that the Pre School should not continue past the end of this summer term.

Before we make a final decision, we need to seek your views and opinions.

I would be very grateful if you could email any comments you may have to me at the address below by 11th July 2022.

Kind regards

Anne Vetch

Vice – Chair I.E.B

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