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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we approach the end of another successful academic year, I want to inform you of some important staffing changes for the upcoming year. It is with mixed emotions that I share the news of the retirement of three dedicated and long-serving members of our school community.

Firstly, Mrs Bidder, who has been a cornerstone of our office team for the past 9 years, will be retiring. Mrs Bidder's warm and welcoming presence in the school office has been a great support to both staff and families. Her dedication to the smooth running of our school has been invaluable and she will be greatly missed.

Ms Park, our Higher-Level Teaching Assistant (HLTA), will also be retiring after 20 years of outstanding service. Ms Park has been instrumental in supporting both our teachers and children, always going above and beyond. Her commitment, enthusiasm and smile have left a lasting impact on everyone at Nether Green Junior School.

Additionally, Ms Giblin, who has worked tirelessly with many children and families over her 16-year tenure, will also be leaving us. Her compassionate and insightful approach has helped numerous children navigate the challenges of school life, providing them with the guidance and support they needed to succeed. She has been an integral part of our pastoral care team and her departure will be felt by all.

Miss Riley will also be leaving us at the end of the year to travel around South and Central America. We wish her all the best in her adventures and thank her for her contributions to the school.

Each of these remarkable individuals has contributed significantly to the fabric of our school. Their unwavering dedication, support and care have made a lasting difference to the Nether Green Junior School community. We extend our thanks to Mrs Bidder, Ms Park, Ms Giblin and Miss Riley for their years of service and wish them all the best in their future endeavours.

As we say goodbye, we are also excited to welcome several new members of staff who will bring a wealth of experience and enhance the dynamic of our school. Miss Smith will be joining us as a Year 6 teacher, Ms Bedford will take on the role of Learning Mentor and Miss Adamson will be our new HLTA. Additionally, Ms Browne will be joining us as a Year 5 teacher, replacing Mrs Neal while she is on maternity leave. We are also pleased to announce that Mrs Coats will be joining us as a part-time teacher in Year 3. We are confident that their expertise and enthusiasm will be great assets to our school community.

We are committed to ensuring a smooth transition and maintaining the high standards of support and education that our school is known for. We will keep you updated on any further developments and look forward to a successful year ahead.

Yours faithfully,

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