

14<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we come to the end of another academic year, it is a lovely time to reflect and celebrate our times in Heronshaw. There have been so many individual achievements celebrated through the year and our newsletters and assemblies have included opportunities to spend time together as a Heronshaw family. We look forward to more to come in the new year.

The end of the year is also a time for change and with that, we say goodbye to some staff and a warm welcome to new staff who will be joining the Heronshaw team.

As you may already be aware, I have been supporting the development of another school in our Trust since Easter. During this time, Mrs Outtram has been leading the school on a day-to-day basis, with my support. From September, I will be seconded to the role of Headteacher at another Milton Keynes school for the period of a year. In my absence, the school will be led by Mrs Outtram as Interim Head Of School, with the support of Mrs Langford as Assistant Head, who will be returning from maternity leave in September.

As you are already aware, we will also be saying a fond farewell to Mrs Begum, Mrs Giles and Miss Hennessy. I hope you will join us in wishing them lots of luck as they move onto pastures new. A huge thank you goes to those staff who will be leaving. Even though staff will no longer be with us they each leave their mark and the children and staff will continue to hold on to the happy memories of their time with us - always part of the Heronshaw family. In September we will welcome a new member of staff to our school family, Miss Orr who will join Foundation. Mrs Thompson will also return from maternity to join Year 1.

We wish our Year 2 children all the very best as they move into their new schools, and we look forward to hearing about all their continued successes. As our Foundation and Year 1 children move into their new classes, we know we have a lot of exciting times to come with you.

With kindest regards,

Jamie

Headteacher



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