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Dear parents,

Firstly I want to thank you for your resilience over the last term. You have supported our school and your children through partial closure, national lockdown, remote learning, whilst many of you have been navigating this working and/or providing full time childcare (not an easy task). The children have come back to school eager and ready to learn and I am proud that our attendance has been above 97%. This is a real credit to you.

The last 7 months have been unprecedented for us all and the pandemic has affected all of our lives in so many ways. It is with sadness that I have taken the difficult decision to leave my role as Headteacher at the end of this term, in order to provide a better work-life balance for myself and my family. I have thoroughly enjoyed working at this fabulous school but I am also looking forward to setting off on a new adventure and spending more time with my family and my 2 dogs.

It is not a decision I have come to lightly. I recognise how far this school has come and it has been an absolute privilege to have been a small part of its journey since October 2018.

I am, however, delighted the Governing body have asked me to continue to support the school in an advisory role, so that I can continue to work strategically with Governors and the leadership team.

As we move towards the end of half term, I hope you can all take important family time to re-charge and energise and adopt new things you want/need to do in the new normal. And a big heartfelt thank you as ever for your continued kindness, help and support.

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