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Dear Parents/Carers,

I would like to thank you for your support over the last school year; your friendliness and involvement in school life, which help make our school the welcoming place it is.

To our Year 6 children who will be leaving us this Summer; I wish you every happiness and success in your new schools.

Staff who are leaving us this year are:

- Teaching staff – Miss Gibbons, RG
- Support staff – Mrs Bibi, Y4.

Thank you to you both, for your commitment to our children, families, and school community. We wish you all the very best for the future.

We wish good luck and happiness to Miss Law, for her wedding. Her name will be Mrs Casey in the new school year.

I would also like to introduce a new member of teaching staff, Miss Israr, who has been with us this year in a support role but will be teaching part time next year, in Reception.

A quick reminder that no jewellery is allowed other than a watch or stud earrings, which must be removed on PE or swimming days. **If you are planning to have your child's ears pierced, please arrange for this to be done at the beginning of the summer holidays, as this allows the earrings to be removed for school.**

Please refer to the recent newsletter or school website for details of school uniform.

School will close on Tuesday 25th July at 2pm for children.

School will reopen on Tuesday 5th September for children at 8.50am. Gates will open at 8.45 am and close just after 8.50am.

Parents of children in Nursery and Reception will be given a letter with starting days and times for September.

School has a one-way system in the morning and evening for parents dropping off and collecting children except for Nursery children who enter through a front door. Only parents of Reception and Year 1 children will be able to walk through the playground in the morning, until school starting time of **8.50am**. After this your child will enter the playground by themselves or with staff, if needed. **This is for your child's safety and security within the school building.**

After a settling period, only parents of Reception children will enter the playground in the morning. Staff are available every evening in the playground and there is a member of the leadership team present on the gate every morning and evening. The office staff are also available for you to make appointments with staff or to pass on messages.

I hope you have a safe and enjoyable summer and I look forward to seeing you in September.

With very best wishes,

H. Atkinson-Smith

Mrs Atkinson-Smith
Headteacher

