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Staffing Changes

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to update you with some staffing changes that are happening within the school. As you will know for the last few years our staffing has been really stable with very few staff leaving and joining. This has meant great continuity for our children but has also meant that teachers have become very experienced within the school and will begin to look for other opportunities to either further their careers or to have a different experience.

Miss Williamson will be leaving us at Christmas. She has been a fantastic teacher for the last 5 years. She joined us as a relatively inexperienced teacher and has had a real impact on the classes that she has taught. She has been caring and nurturing without compromising on the standards she has expected. She will be missed at the school and we wish her well in her next steps.

Mrs Mazuran will also be leaving at Christmas. She has been with us for the last four years. She has been a full-time class teacher, having joined us as a supply teacher, and a cover teacher. She has supported our children with SEND and had a real impact on their access to the curriculum and their confidence in the classroom.

Dr O'Neill has unfortunately found that Burwell is not the right school for her and has decided to leave at October half term. We would like to thank her for her work over the last term and half and hope that she finds the right school to continue her career.

We would like to thank all three teachers for being part of our school. They have all contributed to the school's success and they have brought something unique to Burwell. We wish them all the best in the future in whatever they choose to do.

We have run a successful recruitment campaign this term and appointed two really strong teachers. Mrs Stacey Elbrow has run a successful childcare business for children with complex needs before training to teach. She will be joining us from October half term and will teach Miss Williamson's current class.

As Dr O'Neill is leaving us at half term, we felt it was important that her class had a teacher that they knew and could work well with before their new teacher starts with us in January. Therefore, Miss Williamson will teach Dr O'Neill's class until Christmas. After Christmas we are delighted that Miss Fatima Djemai will be joining us. She will bring a lot of joy and energy to the classroom along with high expectations of attainment and behaviour.

We will of course update parents when further appointments are made for Mrs Mazuran's role.

I would like to thank all the staff for their hard work during their time with us. I would also like to thank parents and carers for your ongoing support of the school and the staff.

Regards,

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