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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you have had a lovely weekend and have been able to enjoy the sunshine before it gets too hot. Today I am writing to inform you that, after 13 years at WJS, 4 years as the Headteacher, I have handed in my resignation to the Governing Body. I am leaving to take up a new post as Head of Primary at St George's C of E Foundation School. Whilst this is an exciting opportunity for me it has also been an incredibly hard decision as my heart has belonged to WJS for so long.

I will be leaving WJS at the end of term 2 and start my new post in January 2023 (so you're stuck with me for a bit longer). Having the next 2 terms here means I will ensure, along with the senior leadership team and the Governing Body that everything will be in place to ensure a smooth transition to the new leadership team and that WJS will continue to go from strength to strength.

It has been an absolute privilege to lead such an amazing school and I will miss working with such a great group of staff, children and parents/carers. I would like to thank the staff for all their hard work, parents for their continued support and the Governing Body for giving me the opportunity to lead this amazing school.

Kind regards,
Annie Knoupe
Headteacher

