

Whitstable Junior School

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Dear Parents/Carers

## Message from the Governors

On behalf of the Governors of the school I want to say a huge thank you to Mrs Knoupe who leaves us today after nearly 5 years as our HT and many more before that as our Deputy HT and SENCO.

Those five years included the Covid pandemic which was probably the most challenging period for schools since the Second World War! She has touched many lives over the years from pupils to parents/carers, always with a positive approach and always looking to deliver the best outcome for each and every child. We will all miss her but wish her the very best in her new job.

Can I also take this opportunity on behalf of the Governors, to thank all the team at the school for the great job they have done this last year. As ever, there have been many challenges but the skill and professionalism, alongside the kindness and caring, have made the school a great place for the children to learn and grow.

Finally, can I wish all staff, parents, carers and children a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year.

Kind regards,

Ged Smith

Chair of Governors





