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Dear Parents and Carers

RE: Arrangements for next year

As we approach the end of the Summer term, it seems a perfect opportunity to reflect on what a great academic year it has been.

I know you will join me in thanking all staff for their hard work and commitment to the children and school community this year.

On Monday, children will spend time with their new class teachers for the next academic year, please see details overleaf.

There will be some staff changes from September.

Mrs England will be leaving at the end of this academic year after 22 years at St Joseph's. She started as an NQT at the school in 2000. Mrs England says "I have seen lots of changes over the years and always loved working at the school. I'm now ready to move onto my own Headship and will become Principal at Eastcote Primary Academy in Bexley, which will also be closer to home too. I will always cherish my time at St Joseph's as I have had so many opportunities to grow and develop to become the teacher I am today." Mrs England has been a dedicated and committed member of St Joseph's and we wish her every success in her new role and her new school.

Miss Dingley will also be moving on at the end of the academic year. After 19 years of teaching, with 8 of those being at St Joseph's, Miss Dingley says, "I am moving on to try new adventures. As an ex-pupil, St Joseph's will always have a special place in my heart. Thank you to everyone; children, families and staff for making my time here so special." Mrs Dingley has been an invaluable member of our school community and we wish her every success in the future.

It is always sad when staff move on but we also retain excellent staff across the school. In addition to those already here, Miss Cafun has been recruited into the role of class teacher and English Lead and Mrs Pilard will be joining us in Key Stage One.

I am sure that you will join me in welcoming Miss Cafun and Mrs Pilard and helping them to feel part of our community.

Also, to remind you that school will finish next week Friday 21st July at 2pm. If your child already has written permission to go home unaccompanied, please remind them to go straight home when leaving school.

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Classroom Teachers – 2023-24

Year Group	Class Name	Teachers
Reception	St Anthony	Miss Kavanagh
Year 1	St Patrick	Miss Francis
Year 2	St Teresa of Calcutta	Mrs Pilard / Miss Holmes
Year 3	St Terese of Lisieux	Mr Bray
Year 4	St Peter	Mr Spalding
Year 5	St Clare of Assisi	Miss Lopez
Year 6	St Stephen	Miss Cafun

I wish you a safe, and restful summer break and look forward to an exciting and successful year ahead.

Yours faithfully,

Miss S Long
Headteacher

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