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Dear Parents,

The end of a term and the beginning of the next often brings staffing changes and so it has been proven the case once again.

Sadly we must say goodbye to Miss Lucken at the end of this term as Mrs Richardson returns from maternity leave. Miss Lucken has been teaching at Newlands for the last three years and has most recently taught in both Year 1 and Year 5 and run the Dance and Choir clubs.

I would like to offer my thanks for all of her hard work and commitment to the school over her time with us.

We welcome back Mrs Richardson who, after Easter, will be teaching in both Year 1 and Year 5.

We entirely understand that staff changes can create a degree of anxiety for parents and carers. However, these are unavoidable and a normal course of events in a school.

Our pupils, together with the quality of learning and teaching, remain our foremost considerations at all times.

Yours sincerely

William Neighbour  
Headteacher