

18th September 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

I do hope your children are settling back at school after the summer break, or enjoying starting their time at Hookstone Chase. There is much to look forward to in our rich and exciting curriculum this term.

I let you know at the end of last term about Ann Wheatcroft, our Headteacher, leaving the school at the end of this term, and I wanted to take this opportunity to let you know about our recruitment plans and process.

We advertised the position nationally and locally at the end of August and the advert is still live. We hope to shortlist applicants at the end of September and interview them at the beginning of October. We have already received a number of applications, and more people have contacted the school to request a visit to learn more about the school before applying.

I shall of course let you know as soon as the Governing Body has made a firm appointment. Hookstone Chase is a popular school with a wonderful, inclusive ethos, and we definitely plan to appoint someone who shares our vision and values for the children to ensure that there is as smooth a transition as possible in the new year, in the best interests of our children, staff and yourselves.

Best wishes.

Yours sincerely

Helen Flynn Chair of Governors, Hookstone Chase Primary School

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