



Bessemer Grange Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As the end of the school year approaches I am writing to inform you of some upcoming staffing changes.

Unusually for Bessemer several teachers will be leaving us this year. Caroline Rosoman is leaving as she is moving out of London, Aaron Wheatley and Sally Stevenson have found jobs which are closer to home, Charlotte McDonald is moving abroad, Victoria Gale has decided on a career change and is leaving teaching, Anna Moore is going to gain further experience in a different school and Hannah Goodwin is taking a break from teaching.

We are also losing four of our teaching assistants; Daisy Honeybone is leaving to focus on her jewellery making, Zoe Jackson is going to train as a teacher, Finn Shepherd is going to America to study and Tom Duxbury is leaving to focus on writing.

In addition, Alison Clark is taking a sabbatical for a year to work abroad, Josie Blake Goodwin is taking a term off to travel and Kelisha Tuck is also taking a term long sabbatical due to her choir commitments.

We are very grateful for all the hard work these members of staff have done at Bessemer, we will miss them and wish them well.

Finally, Ray Capper is being seconded to Keyworth, the school with which Bessemer is in a federation, in order to take on the role of Head of School. While he will obviously be missed, Bessemer and Keyworth work closely together so we will still be seeing lots of him!

We are excited to have appointed a number of new staff, we look forward to introducing them in September.

Yours sincerely,

Elizabeth Whitehead