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## Dear parents and carers,

As you know Mrs Mifflin has started her maternity leave. We take this opportunity to thank her for her hard work in supporting the children and school through this difficult and unprecedented time. I know you will join me in wishing her the very best over the coming months as she enjoys this very special time.

We are recruiting for maternity cover starting in September 2020, though the process will clearly be a little different than normal. At the start of next year Miss Child will be moving to Class 5 and so we are advertising for a KS1 teacher.

Also, I want to share that Mrs Lord will be retiring at the end of this year. Mrs Lord has been an exceptional Teaching Assistant and has worked in most classes in the school. Her care and skill has made a real difference to many children for 29 years and she will be missed by many. Mrs Lord will be returning at the start of September to allow us time to recruit which is very kind of her. It will also mean we will be able to say a fond farewell to someone who has made a significant contribution to the school and children over many years.

With kind regards,

Zoe Avastu