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Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Staff changes

It's hard to believe that we are nearing the end of this academic year. It has been a really successful year and I would like to thank all the children, staff and parents for all their hard work and support. Our assessment results across the school are testament to the hard work of the children and staff, and I'm incredibly proud of their commitment and enthusiasm. We now look forward to what next year will bring.

You should have received a letter to inform you of which class your child will be moving into. Transition day will be on the 12th July and children will have the opportunity to meet their new class teacher on this day.

I would like to update you on some staff changes from September. Mrs Parker has made the decision to leave the teaching profession and pursue a different career. Mrs Parker has been a member of staff at Ledger Lane for many years and we will be really sorry to see her go. In addition, Miss Bartram will also be leaving Ledger Lane. She has been teaching with us for two years and we are sorry to see her go. We wish to thank them for their hard work and commitment. We will miss them both but wish them all the very best for their new adventures

Finally, Mr Bower, who has worked at Ledger Lane for the past four years, has been successful at gaining a permanent Vice Principal post within the Trust at another one of our Academies. I know that he will be a great asset to their team and we wish him all the best for his bright future. I would like to take this opportunity to thank him for his hard work, dedication and enthusiasm throughout his time at Ledger Lane. He will undoubtedly be missed by the children and staff alike.

This does mean that we will be welcoming new staff to our school in September. Ms Yousaf, Miss Halford and Miss Downes will be joining us in Year I, Year 2 and Year 3 respectively. They will be visiting the academy before the summer to get to know the children for a smooth transition. Mrs Hewitt will be joining us as Vice Principal from September, alongside Mr Foster who we welcome back following his secondment. Both these members of staff have a lot of experience working within Outwood Primary Academies and we are delighted that they will join our Ledger Lane team. I'm sure you will join me in welcoming all our new staff and we are looking forward to working with them.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs R Skirrow Principal