



13th March 2020

Dear Parents

Mrs McLeary will be retiring at the end of this term and sadly, we will have to get used to not having her here with us. She has worked at the school for over thirty years in her capacity as an Office Manager and been a dedicated and loyal member of our school community. Whilst it is with much sadness that we have to say goodbye to her, I know she will enjoy her retirement with her family and have more time to travel and enjoy new adventures ahead of her.

I would like to thank Mrs McLeary for all her years of dedication to the school, her professionalism and the support she has given. I am sure she will keep in contact and come back to visit us in the future.

Mrs McKeever (part time Year 1 teacher) will also be leaving at the end of the term. She has been with us since September 2019 and despite not being at the school for a long time, she has had a positive impact on her class and been a valuable member of our team. Mrs McKeever travels from East Sussex and has secured a post nearer to home. I would like to thank Mrs McKeever for her hard work and I know her new school will be fortunate to have her on their staff. Mrs Misca (who currently job shares in class E) will be increasing her days. I would like to thank her for agreeing to do this, as it will minimise changes for Class E. Both teachers have worked well as a job share and the children have benefited from their experience and teaching.

I look forward to seeing you at parents' evening next week and please remember to book an appointment with your child's class teacher, if you have not already done so. We have our St Joseph's day celebration on Thursday, 19th March 2020, which will begin with Mass in the Junior school at 10.00 a.m. We decided to have the Mass at school, instead of Virgo Fidelis Church, to minimise potential risks, because of the Coronavirus.

My weekly newsletter has details of all forthcoming school events, so please do add them to your diary.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

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