



St. Edmund's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents / Carers,

We have nearly reached the end of another academic year and your children are getting ready to move to new classes or new schools.

At this time of year it is always sad to say good bye to our Year 6 children, many of them have been with us for 7 years. They all have an exciting future ahead of them and many opportunities – we wish them happiness and huge success in their future.

We also say good bye to some families that have been part of our community for a number of years, but now as their youngest child moves to secondary school, they too move on to a new phase of their life.

This year I am also saying good bye because I am retiring at the end of this term.

I joined the school in 1989 as a newly qualified teacher and could never have imagined that I would be leaving 33 years later as your Headteacher. St. Edmund's has offered me wonderful opportunities and is woven completely through my family and my life as an adult, wife and mother. I can honestly say I feel honoured and blessed to have been part of the St. Edmund's family and community for so long.

This year we also have many other staff changes and we say a sad good bye to:

Retiring

Mrs Johnstone – Headteacher – 33 years at St. Edmund's
Mrs Gay – Office - 21 years at St. Edmund's
Mrs Kenny – TA - 21 years at St. Edmund's

Leaving

Mrs Grant – Yr 3 Teacher
Miss Nugent – Yr 4 Teacher
Miss Conway – Yr 1 Teacher
Miss Willoughby – LSA

We wish them all lots of happiness and new adventures as they go out and spread the St. Edmund's Motto of 'LOVE CARE SHARE'



We are also very lucky to have new staff joining us in September:

Mr Abrahams – new Headteacher
Miss Nkundo – new teacher
Miss Termuci – new teacher

I would like to wish you all a wonderful summer break and Mr Abrahams and all the staff look forward to welcoming your children back to school in September.

Last Day – Wednesday 20th July – 1pm finish

First day for children in Years 1 – 6

Monday 5th September

Best wishes

Mrs Jackie Johnstone

Headteacher

