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Dear Parent/Carer 8th July 2024

It is with huge sadness that I write to inform you that Mrs Heslop-Stead will be leaving us at the end of this academic year as a result of the school restructuring and the unavoidable resulting redundancy.

Mrs Heslop-Stead has worked in our school for over 20 years and has been a vital member of our Stanhope Barrington family for many years. She has touched the lives of many children and adults alike and we will all miss her enormously.

Similarly, Mrs Heslop-Stead is very sad to be leaving us and I am sure you will appreciate how challenging and emotional the next two weeks will be for her.

She will leave a huge hole in our team and in our hearts and I am sure you join me in wishing her the very best for her next adventure and in her new job. Her new school are extremely lucky to have her and I am sure she will make the same positive impact there as she has in Stanhope.

Yours sincerely

Mrs D Cross

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