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Dear Families,

Staffing updates

I would like to share a few staffing updates with you. We are delighted to congratulate Mrs O'Shaughnessy and her family on the arrival of her beautiful baby boy. Both mum and baby are doing well, and we are looking forward to welcoming Mrs O'Shaughnessy into school to visit and for us all to meet the new addition to her family.

When we finish for half term next week, we will be saying goodbye to Miss Croft, who works in our school office. We would like to thank her sincerely for all of her hard work and commitment to the school and wish her every success for the future.

At the end of this academic year, Ms Lynott, our Year 2 Teaching Assistant, will be retiring after 20 years of dedicated service to the school. We are incredibly grateful for the care, support and commitment she has shown to our pupils over many years and wish her a very happy and well-earned retirement. Miss Lynott, who is currently supporting in Year 3 and Year 4, will also be retiring at the end of the year, and we extend our very best wishes to her for the future.

Year 6 SATS

I would also like to congratulate our pupils on the hardworking and mature attitude they continue to show towards their learning and to one another. This week Year 6 have impressed us all with their effort and attitude in their SATS. Their positive behaviour, resilience and respect for others are a real credit to themselves, their families and our school community.

As we move through the term, we will continue to focus on high expectations for behaviour, learning, attendance and punctuality. We are grateful for the ongoing support of parents and carers in reinforcing these expectations at home and maintaining open, positive communication with the school.

Next Friday 22nd May is our annual **Pentecost Party** where we ask the children to attend school in their own clothes and if possible wear something red. We also ask for a donation of £3 per child or £5 per family please.

We break up at 3.15pm for a two week half term break on Friday 22nd May and return to school on Monday 8th June 2026.

Best wishes,

Annemarie Bell
Headteacher

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