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Dear Parents,

I wanted to start this final newsletter of the year with a huge 'thankyou' to the whole school community for the way in which we responded to our recent OFSTED inspection. We expect to see the final report in the academic year but I can tell you that the experience was very positive. Despite the heat, the timing of the visit could not have been better, leading us into the summer holidays. The journey that St Teresa's has been on over the past few years has been significant and we look forward to the opportunities that next year will bring!

I am delighted to say that we have appointed some terrific new members of staff including two of our very own Teach Wimbledon graduates, Miss Hodgkins and Miss Culleton. Mrs Cheang will be joining the Administrative Team as new business manager. We welcome back Mrs Murtagh from maternity leave who will teach in Reception alongside Mrs Gregory.

We are saying farewell to a number of staff members at the end of this year and wish them well in their new adventures.

Mr Stanhope is leaving us to relocate to the South West following a great number of years in the Early Years and in Wraparound.

Miss Horgan, a Teach Wimbledon trainee teacher, leaves to take up a post in a school in central London.

Mr Hunt leaves us to take up a post in another Merton school.

Mrs Doyle leaves us after a number of years of supporting pastoral care.

Mr Fahy, our School Business Manager leaves us to begin his retirement.

Mrs Druce and Mrs Flynn will be starting their Maternity leave in the Autumn term. We look forward to hearing their happy news in due course. Miss Gregory will lead provision for children with special educational needs (SEND)

We have included class information for the next academic year below. Please note that children will also be taught by school PE and Music teachers as well as higher level teaching support staff as necessary. Each year group will also have a number of support staff to strengthen academic and pastoral support.



Children will be meeting their new teachers next week and staffing for next year will be as follows:

Current Class	New Class	Lead Teacher
N/A	Nursery (Buttercup)	Mrs Gordon
N/A	Nursery (Bluebell)	Mrs Elba
N/A	Nursery (Blossom)	Miss David
N/A	Reception W	Mrs Williams
N/A	Reception G	Miss Gregory
Rec G	1M	Miss Martin
Rec W	1H	Miss Hodgson
New class list	2M	Miss Malone
New class list	2E	Mrs Eaden
2M	3P	Mr Presland
2E	3H	Miss Hodgkins
3P	4D	Mrs Duus
3H	4G	Mr Gallagher
4G	5M	Ms McCoy
4H	5C	Miss Culleton
5M	6H	Mr Humphrey
5D	6W	Mr Williams

The final week of term is always a mixed bag of emotions. We will be waving goodbye to our Year 6 children who have shown incredible resilience and fortitude over the past year. We wish them well in their new schools and trust that the values that they have lived will stay with them forever. As other children move up a year group we can reflect on the year that has passed and the opportunities that await us next year.

The values of Love , Trust, Teamwork and Ambition will continue to guide us. They are as relevant now as they were when they were written 10 years ago .

Love **always** proves itself by deeds!

Wishing you all a happy and safe summer.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Dachtler', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Mr J Dachtler
Headteacher

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