



Dear Parents and Carers.

I hope that this newsletter finds you and your families safe and well.

I would like to begin this week's newsletter by saying a big thank you to all our wonderful children. It has been fantastic to see them all and I know from speaking with them, and from the feedback that I have received from staff, that the children themselves are delighted to be back in the routine of school and interacting with their friends and teachers.

I would also like to thank all parents and carers for being mindful of the procedures around dropping children off and picking them up from school. Your support in maintaining social distancing, wearing face masks and leaving the school promptly is helpful and is one of the ways in which we can minimise as much as possible the risk of spreading infection.

Mrs Garda

We said goodbye to our much loved and admired colleague Mrs. Garda on Monday after nearly 20 years of loyal service to our school community. We wish her health and happiness in her retirement and look forward to her visiting us all in school in the years ahead; for as Mrs Garda said in her farewell speech to colleagues on Monday – quoting Mahatma Ghandi – “There are no goodbyes for us. Wherever you are you will always be in my heart.”



Mr. Kinson

Mr Kinson will be leaving Marsh Hill at the end of this term to take up the position of Deputy Head Teacher at a school in Derbyshire. I am sure that you would like to join me in congratulating Mr Kinson on his very well deserved promotion and in thanking him for his tremendous service to Marsh Hill during his four years at the school. The children he has worked with have thrived during their time with him and he will be greatly missed by all the pupils, staff and parents in our school community.

Parent Consultations

Parent Consultation meetings for parents and carers of pupils in EYFS, Year 2 and Year 3 will take place via telephone on the 22nd, 23rd and 24th March. Please return your slip by Wednesday 17th March.

Parent Consultation meetings for parents and carers of pupils in Year 1, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 will take place via telephone on the 29th, 30th, and 31st March. Please return your slip by Wednesday 24th March.

I wish you all a happy, safe and peaceful weekend.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. J Cusack
Head Teacher