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Dear All,

It is with great reluctance that I pass on the news that Mr Shillito is resigning from his role as Head of our schools.

I am sure that we are all as disappointed as I am to hear this but that we wish Matt the best for his new role as the Head of Western Primary School in Harrogate.

Matt will remain as the leader of our schools until the end of the summer term, when he will move to take over at Western, the school where he started his teaching career many years ago.

During Matt's time he has overseen 4 Good Ofsted inspections, 2 Good SIAMS inspections, Federation of the two schools and an increase in pupil numbers of 30%. In addition to this both schools have a healthy financial position, a much loved and dedicated staff and, most importantly, happy pupils.

During my time working with Matt as a parent and Governor, I have found him to be a passionate and committed Headteacher. His care for the wellbeing of the pupils, staff and other stakeholders at the school has been outstanding.

Please be reassured that the Governing Body has already begun the task of finding a replacement and that the education, support and ethos of both schools will continue to be of the highest standard as we transition and as a new leader is put in place.

I'm sure that you all share my sentiments in thanking Matt for his hard work and dedication and wishing him all the best in his new challenge.

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Chair of Governors,

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