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Dear Parents/ Carers,

I am writing to inform you that after almost five immensely enjoyable and successful years, I have made the difficult decision to resign as Head teacher of Nanpean School to fulfil a lifelong dream. I will not be returning in September as I will be travelling around Europe and, hopefully, further afield.

I feel that with the school in a good position; with a strong board of Governors, an outstanding Assistant Headteacher, an experienced Senior Leadership team, and a brilliant and dedicated staff, now is the right time to focus on my dreams and aspirations outside of my career.

My time at Nanpean School has been particularly special for me as it marked my first headship, and with the support of a wonderful and talented staff, we have made remarkable strides in the development of Nanpean School and its pupils. As I reflect on my time at Nanpean, I am delighted to see what we have achieved and that the school has gone from strength to strength. I am proud of the work that my staff and I have put in to the development of the school, and of the pupils themselves whose resilience, superb behaviour and unequivocal enthusiasm for learning is a credit to the school and is the reason for its success. I am proud of the relationship that the school has formed with our parents/ carers and the wider community and trust that you will continue to offer your valuable support.

Our school Governors, with the support of the Local Authority, are planning a thorough recruitment process to ensure we find the best person to take the school forward. It is therefore expected that my successor will be appointed by the end of the Spring Term. For this school year, however, there is still work to be done! I will be spending the upcoming months working with Governors and staff to ensure that we have solid foundations in place to allow the school to continue to grow.

I would finally like to take this opportunity to thank pupils, staff, parents/ carers, and Governors wholeheartedly for their continuous support, friendship and commitment to Nanpean School throughout my time here. It has been a privilege to lead the school throughout such an important time in its history and to have shared this journey with all of you.

Yours sincerely

Mrs C Wicks
Head teacher

