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Dear Parents and Carers

I am sending you this message today to inform you that I will sadly be leaving Kirknewton Primary School, having successfully secured the Head Teacher position of the new school in Winchburgh, the new school in West Lothian.

I have been privileged to be part of your wonderful school community for the past four years. The children, staff team and community have left a lasting impression on me as a Head Teacher and I have enjoyed every moment of working with you all.

We have been on a wonderful journey together, and I feel confident that I am leaving the school in a great position for the future.

As soon as details are available regarding my replacement, I will let you know.

Kind regards

**Kirsten Patience  
Head Teacher**