

8th April 2022

Dear Parents,

I am writing to let you know that Mr Gardiner will be leaving Park Grove after the half term break (June 2022). He has been given a wonderful opportunity to work in a leadership role and to develop in his own career. He was asked if he could start straight after Easter but told his new employer that he didn't want to leave the children until the Y2s had finished their SATs.

Mr Gardiner is a fantastic teacher and we know that many of the children will be really sad to see him go. Luckily we have another half term with him where they will be able to say goodbye properly and wish him lots of luck.

As this has only just happened this week, we haven't had the opportunity to make arrangements for Blue Class from June, but as soon as we have plans in place we will let you know.

It is always really hard to say goodbye to colleagues but we also believe strongly at Park Grove in future development opportunities. We love it when Park Grove School prepares staff to be future leaders in education and feel proud that Mr Gardiner can now take the next step in his career.

Good luck Mr Gardiner.

Have a lovely Easter break everybody.

Best wishes,

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