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Wednesday 20th April 2016

Dear Parent

It is with mixed feelings that I inform you of that our Deputy Headteacher, Mr Beattie has successfully secured his first Headship of a Junior School in Cumbria. Mr Beattie is moving back to his hometown and is currently juggling builders and planners around the development of his new home – watch out for him on Grand Designs!

I have only worked with Mr Beattie for a short time but in that period he has shown himself to be an outstanding leader with masses of potential for Headship. It is testament to his hard work and development at Plantation over the past few years that he has secured his new post.

The Governing Body is currently organising for Mr Beattie's replacement as he will leave us at the end of this school year. Once we have recruited our new Deputy Headteacher I will write to you to keep you informed. One thing is for certain, that whoever is successful in securing the post will be following on from a fantastic Deputy Headteacher and joining a wonderful school with so much to give.

I am sure you will all join me in wishing Mr Beattie every success for the future and we hope you will stay in touch once he moves up to Cumbria in the summer holidays.

Kind regards

Mr S Hanley

Headteacher















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