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Staffing Updates – November 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am writing to inform you about a number of staffing changes which have taken place this week.

- Today, Mrs Szymendera leaves our school after over 9 years of working as a Teaching Assistant at NJA. Mrs Szymendera is long standing member of staff, who has definitely offered an incredible amount of time, service and commitment to the NJA Community. She has, undoubtedly, supported, nurtured, cared for, loved, taught and had an immeasurable impact on thousands of children's lives over the last 9 years and we are grateful that she was able to offer our school family her gifts, over many years.

Good luck in your new career path, Mrs Szymendera! You'll be amazing but we're certainly going to miss you!

- Earlier this term, our Caretaker, Mr Quinn, was promoted to become one of the new Academy Trust Estate Supervisors and so he left NJA earlier this week, having worked at our school for over 3 years, to take up his new post! Thank you to Mr Quinn for his hard work and dedication over the past few years, especially in his desire to make our school site as clean and safe as possible. In recent months, Mr Quinn has worked tirelessly with myself on key building projects and I will always be personally grateful for his loyalty and dedication to our school. Good luck for the future, Mr Quinn, and in your new role within our Trust – we know you'll be fantastic.

We are delighted to welcome Mr Candlin as our new Caretaker, who took up post on Wednesday of this week. Welcome to the NJA Family and we hope you have many happy years at our school, Mr Candlin.

Finally, I am delighted to announce that Miss Leach (6PL Class Teacher) and her partner, Ben, are expecting a baby boy in March 2022. On behalf of all the staff and children, I'd like to wish them a huge congratulations and best wishes as they prepare to become a family of 3!

Kind regards,

Mr Welsh
Headteacher