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Dear Parents and Carers of Children in Findern Class,

You will be aware that a few months ago Mrs Kerr shared with the children that she is expecting a baby. I am sure you will join me in wishing her and her family all the very best at this exciting time.

Over the Easter holiday, Mrs Kerr was advised by her medical team to bring forward her final day at work. This will now be tomorrow, Friday 17 April. While we will miss her, I am pleased to reassure you that the children will continue to be taught by familiar and experienced members of staff for the remainder of the school year.

Mrs Girling will teach the class on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesday mornings, and Mrs Christie will teach on Wednesday afternoons, Thursdays and Fridays. Both Mrs Girling and Mrs Christie have worked at St John's for many years and are very much looking forward to working with your children.

I am sure you will join me in thanking them both for their flexibility and commitment in making arrangements to support Findern class over the next four months.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Averis'.

Mr. R. Averis

