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Dear Parents and Carers,

Re. Changes to Staffing in Science

On the last day of the Autumn Term we said goodbye to Mr Sulola, a Chemistry teacher. Towards the end of January, Mrs Sweeney, Head of Science, will begin her Maternity Leave. From today we welcome back Dr Heaver who will be taking on some of their teaching and Mrs Stein who will also be taking on some Science classes.

Due to these staffing changes we have had to rewrite the Science timetable which in some cases may mean that your son or daughters' Science teacher has changed. There have also been some minor alterations in Humanities and Maths to accommodate the changes we needed to make to the Science timetable.

Where possible, we have prioritised classes who are closest to their exams so that their preparation for exams is not disrupted. Therefore, the majority of the changes will be in classes within Years 7, 8 and 9. These changes begin with immediate effect.

When Mrs Sweeney's Maternity Leave begins, the Head of the Science Faculty will be Mrs Purtell and Mrs Baker will continue as Assistant Faculty Leader for Science.

Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Yours faithfully,

John O'Regan
Assistant Headteacher

