



HAMPSTEAD SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope this letter finds you well. It was fantastic to see so many of you at Year 8 Parents Consultation Evening last Thursday and I hope you found the evening useful.

I wanted to inform you that I will be leaving Hampstead School to take up a new role after the Easter holidays. I informed the students on Monday. This means that Year 8 will have a new Head of Year from after the Easter break.

We have been very fortunate in recruiting a new Head of Year who is already very well known to the students and in fact is already on the Year 8 team. Ms Thompson is very much looking forward to working with the whole of Year 8 in this new capacity. Ms Thompson and I already work closely together so the handover will be very smooth, meaning that students' focus can remain fully on their studies.

If your child is in Tutor Group 8.4, they will also have a new tutor as a result of this change. This will be Mr Georgiou from our English Faculty.

I am very sad to be leaving Hampstead School after six years and the decision to leave has not been an easy one. I will miss working with the students enormously. However, I am excited to be taking up a role in a school much closer to my new home and am confident that Ms Thompson and the Year 8 team will continue to support our students brilliantly.

My last day at Hampstead School is Friday 7th April. If you have any concerns in the meantime, please do let me know.

If I have been supporting your child with any specific issues, please be reassured that these will either be dealt with before I leave, or handed over confidentially to Ms Thompson if it is more on-going.

My thanks to you for your support over the years; your work with the school to support what we do here, is absolutely imperative.

I wish all of the students the absolute best for the future and look forward to hearing about how they are doing from my colleagues.

Yours sincerely

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