



Ashfield Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to let you know that I will be retiring as headteacher of Ashfield Primary School on 31 August 2025.

I first came to Ashfield in January 2006 as assistant headteacher and have been headteacher here since April 2015. This is a truly fantastic school and I have loved working with our amazing children, dedicated team of staff, and fabulous parents and carers. It has been my honour and privilege to lead Ashfield and this has been a thoroughly rewarding and fulfilling experience over the last nine and a half years. I will miss being a part of this fantastic school community. I shall remain in post and be fully committed to Ashfield until my retirement.

There is now an advert out for the position of headteacher at Ashfield. The governors along with the school improvement advisor and CEO of the Collaborative Learning Trust will begin the recruitment process in January. I will ensure there is a smooth transition with the successful candidate.

In this time of transition, we will ensure the ethos of the Ashfield and the commitment to developing each child will be built on in the future. Your children will continue to thrive and be successful. I will remain committed to providing all children with the best possible education and learning experiences we can offer in the coming months.

Finally, a massive thanks for all your support and encouragement over the recent years.

Yours faithfully,

Elspeth Warren

