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Dear Parents and Carers,

Following 16 years of dedicated service to the school, Estelle O'Hara, Headteacher has decided to leave Poppleton Ousebank Primary School at the end of the term in December 2023 to pursue new opportunities.

Estelle has been the headteacher since 2007 and has led Poppleton Ousebank with passion and care to be the great school that it is. Estelle's commitment to our pupils, our families, our colleagues and the wider school community has been exceptional. We wish Estelle all the best for the future.

Estelle states, "Working with families and staff of Poppleton Ousebank has been a pleasure and a privilege. I am incredibly proud of what we have created together and the amazing reputation that our school has gained across the city. I always knew that leaving POPS would be hard, but knowing that an incredibly strong and talented team of professionals will continue to serve the community with the same passion and dedication, has enabled me to make the difficult decision. I would like to thank you all for your continued support and the opportunity to be part of this wonderful community."

We will shortly be commencing a recruitment process to appoint a principal to the school, and we will keep you informed once an appointment has been made.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely,



Helen Winn

**Chief Executive Officer**