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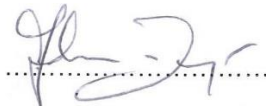
Dear Parent/Guardian

I am writing to you to update you on arrangements for the recruitment of our new Principal, from September, following Mr Hunt's retirement at the end of this academic year.

Plans are well underway, a working group of governors has been established to manage the recruitment process with the assistance of an external educational advisor. The post will be advertised next week, with the interviews due to take place on Tuesday 27 and Wednesday 28 February. We hope to be able to announce the appointment of the new Principal in early March.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank Mr Hunt for his excellent leadership of Westfield Academy and recognise the huge impact he has had in his time here. During his 10 years at Westfield he has steered us through the academisation process and made huge improvements to the school buildings and site. The academy is excellent shape for the new Principal to take us forward.

Yours faithfully



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Chair of Governors



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