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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome Back to the New School Year!

It has been wonderful to reconnect with so many of our children and families and to hear about the adventures and memories made over the summer break.

Thank you for helping us start the year on such a positive note. Our pupils are looking smart, enthusiastic, and ready to learn. As I've walked around the school, I've been impressed by the calm, focused, and purposeful environment. Chatting with both parents and children has truly reinforced the high expectations we all share for the year ahead.

This year, I will continue my role as Executive Headteacher for both Northbrook Primary Academy and Woodlea Junior School. I will be dividing my time between the two schools, providing strategic leadership to ensure consistency in teaching quality, learning experiences, and standards.

My focus remains on driving excellent academic progress, supporting and developing our staff, and encouraging collaboration across both schools to secure the best outcomes for every child.

To support this, Mrs Astbury, our Deputy Head, will be leading the day-to-day running of the school here at Northbrook. She will be your main point of contact within the Senior Leadership Team should you need to discuss anything.

Thank you once again for your ongoing support. I am excited about the year ahead and all that we will achieve together.

Warm regards,


Mrs Shorrocks


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