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Dear Parents and Carers

Following on from my previous letter, I now write to inform you of the plan going forward for Mrs Collier's replacement.

We have worked with the diocese and local knowledge to find a well experienced Headteacher to lead us over the next few months in order to allow us time to find the best person possible to lead our school and build on the work started by Mrs Collier.

Mr John Brine has led St Lawrence school in Napton for the last 16 years and is taking early retirement from his school at the end of this term. He is a practicing Catholic and is very keen to lead our school on a full-time basis until we hopefully appoint our own new Headteacher. He has been in school already to get to know our procedures and to meet the staff. I have invited him to our final Full Governing Board meeting on 4th July.

Mrs Collier will introduce him to the children and he is keen to meet parents on the playground on the days that he is in school over the next few weeks. Do say hello if you see him and welcome him into our school.

Going forward we are currently advertising for a new Headteacher and will let you know any developments.

Yours sincerely

Angela Scull  
Chair of Governors

