

Highbury Primary School and Nursery

'Valued as Individuals, Inspired and Nurtured as Learners'



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Dear Parents and Carers,

It is with great sadness that we start the new school year by sharing that our beloved teacher, Mrs Taylor, passed away peacefully in her sleep yesterday after a long illness.

Mrs Taylor was an inspiration to everyone she worked with, both children and adults. I know that she will have left so many people, children, staff and families, empowered to be themselves, to be confident individuals who can go on to do great things.

Mrs Taylor will be sorely missed by us all and our community is richer for having had her in our lives.

We thought it best not to share this with children today and we ask that you please share this sad news with your child in a sensitive and understanding manner, which is right for you and your family.

Members of staff will be available to support the children if they would like to be given an opportunity to talk and share their feelings at this time.

We are in communication with Mrs Taylor's family and plan to acknowledge and celebrate her wonderful life. We will of course let you know further details and information.

If you have any worries or concerns, please do not hesitate to make contact.

Thank you for your continued understanding and support during this sad time for Highbury School.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Watson
Headteacher

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