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Headteacher's notes...

As we break up today for the summer, I would like to say on behalf of everyone at the school a big 'thank you' for all your help and support once again this year - it is always really appreciated. Thank you also to all the staff and Governors for everything that they have done – we are fortunate to have such a dedicated and committed team.



Yesterday we celebrated with our Year 6 children at their Leaver's Evening. We are extremely proud to see how all the children have developed and how prepared those in Year 6 are for the next stage of their education. We wish them, and any other children who are leaving us, every success for the future.

We gathered altogether on the field and said goodbye to staff who are leaving today. We wish them all the best and thank them for all they have done at the school.

Next term the children return on **Tuesday 2nd September**. We all hope you have a wonderful summer.

From Governors

On behalf of the Governors, I would like to thank you all for the support you have given your children and the school this year. We would also like to extend our best wishes to Mr Allen as he leaves Brampton Village Primary School after 10 years. He will be missed. Enjoy your summer and look forward to returning in September for another busy year with a new Head, Mr Hill.

Thank you Emma Spencer Chair of Governors

PTA News

Just a guick note from us to say one final massive thank you to everyone for their support this year.

Thank you to:

- All of the **volunteers** who have supported us over the course of the past year We've had over 100 of you help us and we couldn't have done it without you!
- The **teachers** and **wider staff** at the school for all their help from activities in class (all that drawing for Christmas Cards, the Drawing competition and the Envelope Game) to helping with and strutting their stuff at Discos and everything else they've done behind the scenes
- To **Mr Allen** and the **team in the office** for all their amazing support helping us to ensure everything runs smoothly
- To everyone who attended or brought their children to the plethora of events across the year We'll announce how much we raised in September as some funds are still coming in but we couldn't have done it without you and you'll hopefully see some great school improvements in September that have been funded from all the money raised (watch this space!)

• And finally to our **fantastic committee** - Despite having full time jobs and busy lifes, they have gone above and beyond doing so much work to prepare events, manage the events on the day and get so much done in the background. If you see any of Cam, Katie, Lee, Lorraine, Monica, Nicki, Suzy or Victoria, please say a massive thank you to them for all their hard work

See you all in September and if you find your children have grown out of any Branded Uniform over the summer, please store these until September and donate them so we can sell them on to other parents (9)

Thanks,

Matt

PTA Chair

And finally...

And so, the end of another school year has finally arrived and it still doesn't really seem real that I shall not be returning in the Autumn. Thank you so much for all the gifts and kind words that have been shared over the past few weeks — I have really appreciated all of them. I have worked at 7 schools over the past 34 years and the 10 years Brampton is where I have stayed the longest.

When I was interviewed in Spring 2015, the new KS2 building was wrapped up in scaffolding and still being built, with many people looking forward to what was to come. There was excitement but also some apprehension, including about how quickly the school would grow and what issues we would face, and I was given the task of leading the school through its period of growth. Well, we have gone from 414 pupils to over 610, and we have celebrated many successes with the children along the way and there are many other things to look back on with pride as a school community.

The school is successful and this is down to the commitment of so many people including governors, staff, parents and carers working together. We do this for all the children and Brampton is a unique school, and not just because of its size. There is always something going on and visitors often comment on its friendliness and welcoming atmosphere. They can see what a good school we are and how hard everyone works. I know how committed the staff team are to make sure the very best for every child. It is now time for a change, and I wish Mr Hill all the best as he leads the school forward on its next chapter.

It has been a privilege to be the Headteacher here at Brampton during this time and so thank you all for the past 10 years, for all your support and commitment to the school. Please continue to work together with the staff and governors so that the school goes from strength to strength. I wish the entire school community the very best for the future.

With thanks and best wishes

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Next Year

Autumn Term 2025

Monday 1st September Staff Training Day
Tuesday 2nd September Children return
Monday 27th to Friday 31st October Half Term
Friday 19th December Last day of term

Spring Term 2026

Monday 5th January

Tuesday 6th January

Monday 16th February to Friday 20th February

Friday 27th March

Staff training day

Children return

Half Term

Last day of term

Summer Term 2026

Monday 13th April Staff training day
Tuesday 14th April Children return
Monday 25th May to Friday 29th May Half Term
Monday 1st June Staff training day
Tuesday 2nd June Children return
Friday 17th July Children finish
Monday 20th July Staff training day