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Dear Parents and Carers,

As you may know, since January I have been overseeing the leadership of The King's School, while continuing my role as Director of School Improvement for Pontefract Academies Trust.

During this time, it has been absolutely fantastic to get to know the students and staff at The King's School more closely. I have been immensely impressed by the students at The King's School. They are truly a credit to you, demonstrating the values and standards we hold dear within our Trust.

Ms Evans will be joining us as the new Headteacher of The King's School, starting on 3 June 2024. Ms Evans comes to us with a wealth of experience and a strong commitment to student success. I am confident that she will continue to advance the school, building upon the excellent work already underway to make The King's School a truly special place to be for our young people.

In my role as Director of School Improvement, I will be working closely with Ms Evans, providing support and guidance as her line manager, while also continuing to oversee other schools within the Trust.

Finally, thank you for your ongoing support and commitment. I look forward to seeing The King's School thrive under Ms Evans' leadership as she leads the school into a new and exciting future.

Yours faithfully

**Mrs Jo Cross**  
**Director of School Improvement (Interim Headteacher)**