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Dear Parents and Carers,

Today we will see out another academic year and prepare to welcome a new one. Despite the challenges this year has provided, the children and staff have again demonstrated resilience, optimism, and an ongoing enthusiasm for learning. Both have worked hard to close education gaps caused by lockdown and have displayed kindness, respectfulness, and high aspirations for their future.

I would like to thank Parents and Carers for their valued contributions. The next academic year will be both an exciting and challenging one. Success has always depended on the partnership between schools and their wider communities. As a Trust, we look forward to continuing to build and be a part of such collaborative communities.

To those Parents and Carers who leave us with proud Year 6 children this week, we are sad to see you leave but are confident that your children are ready for the next steps in their academic journeys. We know that both Camps Hill and Fairlands Teachers and Support Staff are honoured to have played a part in their future successes.

As staff across The Claxton Trust prepare for a well-earned break, I am grateful for their ongoing dedication and commitment. Whether it be 'living with Covid' or facing record-breaking heatwaves, the children have continued to be nurtured, supported, and inspired whilst receiving a high standard of education and consistency. This is a testament to the hard work and challenges continually embraced by you all.

I hope you and your families have a restful summer. We look forward to welcoming you back in the next academic year, as well as a new set of Camps Hill and Fairlands parents who are just beginning their journeys with us.

Yours sincerely

Claire Kemp

Chair, Board of Trustees