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Dear parents

Staffing matters

I'd like to start with the sad news that Lisa Wilkinson, our School Business Manager, will be leaving us at half term. This follows seventeen years of dedicated service to Crosby Ravensworth CE School. I know that everyone associated with the school will join me in thanking Lisa for her wonderful work and wishing her well for the future. The school won't be quite the same, and I know that the whole school community will be very saddened by the news. An advertisement for a successor has today been posted on the Cumbria Education website and the school website.

Due to an error on the University of Cumbria's part, we now no longer have a student teacher in Class 1. The class will continue to run as normal with Mrs Pattinson and Mrs Corrie.

Residential at Hawse End

I would like to clear up any confusion regarding payments for the residential. The price of £123 per pupil was calculated including the cost of the bus, but the Friends have now kindly offered to pay for our school's share. (Asby and Long Marton Schools will also pay an amount proportionate to the number of their pupils attending.) Therefore, once the final invoice has been paid, any overpayments by parents will be refunded.

Keswick trip

Parents of children in Class 1, who are going on the trip to Keswick Museum on Tuesday 26 January, should remember to send their child's booster seat in to school on the day, so that it can be used on the minibus. Many thanks.

Dates for your diary

Tues 26 Jan – Class 1 visit to Keswick Museum
Wed 10 Feb – Friends meeting, 7 pm, Butchers Arms
Fri 12 Feb – break up for half term
Mon 22 Feb – return to school after half term
Wed 24 to Fri 26 Feb – Y5 and Y6 residential at Hawse End, Keswick
Fri 26 Feb – swimming for children in Reception and Years 1-4
Thur 3 Mar – World Book Day
Wed 16 Mar – parents appointments (more information to follow)
Thur 24 Mar – break up for Easter holidays

Yours sincerely;

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D Priestley'.

Mr D Priestley