

Developments in our School

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Throughout our years in this school we have seen many teachers and faculty members come and go. Though we are sad to see old faces leaving we are also excited to welcome new ones.

Some of the teachers we regret to leave behind are Ms. Raymond, who joined a new school after coming off maternity leave, we also congratulate her with her new baby; Mr Earley who has joined a new school, and SNA Ms Fiona Dunne who has left the school.

We congratulate Ms. Heffernan, Ms O'Rourke, Ms. McKeon, and Ms. Aimee Spollen who are all on maternity leave. We would also like to welcome Ms. Carberry back to the school from her maternity leave. We can't wait to see them again and wish them the best of luck with their babies.

Finola and Ms A O'Brian are currently out on sick leave and we wish them a speedy recovery.

Though we regret to see so many teachers leave, we are also excited to welcome new teachers to our school: Mr Bolger, Ms Coyne, Ms Eagney, Mr Leonard, Ms Molloy, Mr Naylor, Mr Norris, Ms Walsh. We welcome back Mr Flynn from his travels and wish him continued success in the school, Mr Jan Koutsky and Ms. Ellie Moran are all new faculty members in the SNA department that we welcome to the school and hope they enjoy their time here. We also wish the best of luck to our trainee teachers and SNAs who are joining us this year over the course of the next 9 months. Finally, we would like to thank Ms Gina Delaney for her dedicated service to our school over the past number of years in keeping our school looking spick and span. We wish Gina well in her retirement from Mercy Secondary School and we hope that she has many happy memories of her time here. We welcome Ms Louise Kelly, past pupil, to the ancillary staff and we wish her all the best.

In conclusion, life moves fast and people will come and go. It's important to enjoy the time we spend with others and be welcoming and kind to all.