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Dear parents/carers

I would like to thank you all for your support and for making me feel welcome this year at Bowling Green. Since September the staff have embraced many new initiatives following some trust led high quality training, support and guidance. I am very proud of the Bowling Green Academy children, and families who have coped brilliantly with all of the recent amendments to routines, especially around the pandemic regulations. I know that the Bowling Green community deserve the very best for the future, and that the Great Heights Academy Trust can continue to support us on the journey.

Throughout the last year, Mrs. Deighton has worked hard taking on the role as Acting Headteacher in these challenging times. Mrs. Deighton and her team have prioritized minimising disruption for your children and have worked with the trust to use expertise when this has been needed. We all appreciate the efforts of all leaders, staff and parents to make the most of these challenging times.

To continue the journey of Bowling Green and to ensure we are able to provide the best for our children, we need to appoint and secure a permanent leadership position for Bowling Green Academy in the form of a Principal. A process will commence this week in order to secure next steps for us all. An external advert and appointment process will be initiated this week and I will keep you updated on developments. This letter is the first of a series of communication updates for you as parents as I wanted you to be fully aware as processes start.

I hope you all stay safe; I look forward to updating you further in the weeks to come on this matter and being able to welcome all of our children back to school soon.

Yours