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Welcoming Letter from The Governing Board

We would like to extend a warm welcome back to staff and pupils and offer our thanks to everyone who has worked behind the scenes to ensure a safe and smooth transition into the new term. It is lovely to see the school open again and pupils actively engaged. We would also like to thank parents and carers for following the guidelines the school has implemented which has ensured smooth running at drop off and collection time.

We are very pleased to welcome our new Headteacher, Mrs Kirsty Eales, and wish her an enjoyable first term at Overstone getting to know our school, pupils and community.

It's with great gratitude that we thank Mark Watson for his hard work and dedication as Chair of the Governing Board over the last 2 years. Mark will remain on the Governing Board as a Co-opted Governor.

We would also like to say thank you to Rachel Branton for her valuable contribution and commitment to the work of the Governing Board over the last 8 years. Rachel has decided to step down this year and will be greatly missed.

Following our first board meeting in September, we are pleased to confirm the following roles within the Board-

Stephen Gates Joint Chair of Governors and Health and Safety Governor

Steve Fuller Joint Chair of Governors, Maths Governor, EYFS Governor, Finance Governor

and Performance Management Governor

Kirsty Berry Vice Chair of Governors and Development Governor

Cathryn Siddall SEN Governor, Performance Management Governor, Pupil Premium & Sport

Premium Governor

Emma Seabourne Safeguarding Governor

Ellie Thompson Equalities Governor and Health and Wellbeing Governor

David Varey Performance Management Governor and Village Liaison

Mark Watson Data protection Governor and English Governor

Lucy Pinto Wider Curriculum Governor, Communications Governor, Citizenship

Governor and Forest School Governor

Georgie McGinty Teacher Governor

Claire Miller Teacher Governor and PSHE Governor



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Overstone's Governing Body is a dedicated group of volunteers who meet regularly to share in the leadership of our school and resources. Its members bring a wealth of experience from the wider world to their role and represent the many stakeholders that have an interest in the success of our school; the staff, parents, members of the local community and the Local Authority. If you are interested in joining the Governing Body we will be very happy to explain more about what it entails. Members of the Governing Body may be contacted via the school office or school e-mail address available on the home page contact box.

Kind regards

The Governors