



Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to inform you that Ceri Oak and Steph Howard are leaving at the end of this term. I am very sad that they are leaving but Steph has been promoted to a larger SENDCo role and Ceri is leaving for personal reasons. They have both been dedicated, committed and fantastic teachers who have always had your children's best interests at heart. They will be very much missed and we wish them every success for the future.

Message from Steph and Ceri

Clyst Hydon is a very special place, with a hard-working and committed staff team, children who love learning and a very interested parent body. We have enjoyed teaching here and have many happy memories. However, we both feel ready to take on new challenges. Steph is going to take up a position as the SENDCo for the Exmoor Federation of schools. Ceri is going to spend more time with her family and explore new avenues using her many interests. We will both enjoy the next few weeks with the children, in particular preparation for Christmas events.

Jemma Quelch will be taking over Steph's teaching commitment and Ventrus are in the process of recruiting and appointing Ceri's replacement ready for the beginning of next term.

Have a great weekend,

Amanda Farmer  
Acting Headteacher