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Dear Trudeau parents, guardians, and students,

Recently the Vancouver School Board's Official Trustee approved and made public promotions and transfers for the 2017-2018 school year. At that time it was announced that I will be retiring from Trudeau Elementary at the end of this school year.

I will be very sad to say good-bye to the many outstanding people I have had the privilege of meeting and working with over the past four years. Trudeau Elementary School is my third school as a principal. For me, this school has been a vibrant, exciting place where community and support are part of the school's foundation and beliefs. Together we emphasize the importance of sharing, supporting each other, looking for positive learning opportunities for everyone, and collaborating with the whole school community to embrace global citizenship and inquiry-based learning. This is an exceptional Vancouver school that will continue to exemplify the very best in education. The staff members always put students in the forefront, the students are hard-working, capable learners, and the parents are supportive, friendly, and caring. I feel very fortunate to be part of the Trudeau School community and I will always cherish the time spent here and learning with all of you!

The new Principal will be Ms. Angela Hughes. She is moving from General Brock School where she has been a Principal for the past 5 years. She is a very experienced elementary leader, and will be a welcome addition to Trudeau Elementary School. She has vast experiences and is a skilled teacher. I know that you will make her feel welcome at this outstanding school!

Thank you for your on-going support and cooperation. I will miss all the exceptional people I have met over the past four years and will always treasure the many fond memories of the students, parents, family members, and staff!

Sincerely,

Kim A. Nemeth

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Principal