

Thursday 6th September 2018

Dear Parent/Carers,

Welcome back to West Acton Primary School after the summer holiday! I hope that your holidays allowed you to make some special memories with your family.

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself - I am delighted and honoured to be the new Head Teacher of West Acton Primary School. What struck me this morning as I watched the children return to school was, what a vibrant and diverse community West Acton Primary is - that is something very special.

I have been working in Ealing for nine years, in Featherstone Primary in Southall and Grange Primary just down the road in Ealing. Prior to this I had a teaching and management career in Japan for seven years, completed my studies in France and in Southampton and I have been a teacher for over twenty years. For me being a teacher is an enormous privilege and a very humbling experience - watching children grow in both their personal confidence and academic abilities makes every day challenging, different and exciting.

As you are aware West Acton Primary is a fantastic school with brilliant facilities for your children, however above all that I can already see there is dedicated and talented staff of teachers and support staff in all areas of the school committed to developing, nurturing and supporting your child on their learning journey.

Please do come and say hello when you see me out on the gate in the mornings and afternoons. I will be holding 'Meet the new Head Teacher' meetings on **Tuesday 25th September at 9.00am, 2.40pm and 6.30pm.**

I look forward to meeting you and working with you in the future.

Yours faithfully,

Karen Kondo

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Head Teacher

