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Dear Everyone

Can I thank you on Giselle Pirie's behalf for making her so welcome. She is enjoying the children very much and is pleased to be part of our school.

I am coming to the end of my own teaching career now and I intend to retire at Christmas. This has been a difficult decision to make because I love it at Cossington so much. However, it's probably time for a younger person to take over!

The Governors are currently advertising the Head teacher post to start in January 2011 as full time with the equivalent of 3 days admin and 2 days teaching commitments.

The class structure will continue as at present with Ellen Gould increasing her teaching of Years 5 and 6 to full time. I will work the equivalent of 3 days a week, probably 2 full days and two mornings, doing the administrative work. However, I retain the responsibility for maintaining high quality teaching and learning and so will be spending lots of time in the classrooms. In January, the new Head will share Class 3 with Miss Gould.

My very best wishes to you all.

Catherine Groves
Head Teacher