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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we begin a new week here at Faringdon Community College, I wanted to take a moment to reflect on my first few days as Headteacher and share how delighted I am to have joined this vibrant and welcoming school community.

It has been a real pleasure getting to know our students and staff over the past few days. I've been warmly welcomed by everyone and have already seen first-hand what a caring, hardworking, and ambitious community this is. Walking through the corridors and visiting lessons, I've been inspired by the enthusiasm of the students and the dedication of the staff.

At the heart of our school are the values of **Belong, Believe, Aspire, and Achieve**, and it's clear that these are not just words on a wall—they are lived every day. I've seen students supporting one another, staff encouraging students to stretch themselves, and a shared belief that every young person here can succeed. These values will continue to guide everything we do as we move forward together.

We're excited that we are launching a new system called ePraise, designed to strengthen communication between home and school by keeping you more closely connected to your child's progress. Tomorrow you'll receive an ePraise invitation sent directly to the email address we have registered for you on Bromcom. Once you're set up, you'll be able to receive real-time notifications through the ePraise app, keeping you informed of both praise and sanctions as they happen. If you have more than one child at the school, you'll also be able to view all siblings within the same account, making it even easier to stay up to date. We're really looking forward to using this new system to celebrate successes and work together to support every student's journey.

I strongly believe that the most successful schools are built on strong partnerships between home and school. Therefore, in the coming weeks and months, I would like to get to know parents and carers to enable us to work closely together. This will ensure our young people feel supported, challenged, and inspired to do their very best.

Thank you for your continued support. I'm excited for the year ahead and all that we will achieve together.

Kind regards

Lisa Barker
Headteacher



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