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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to inform you that I have decided that I will be leaving the post of Principal at ECC at the end of this academic year.

It has been an immense pleasure and privilege to lead the College over the last six years but, after much deliberation and seventeen years as Principal across three secondary schools, I feel it is time to pursue other opportunities and interests within education.

I would like to publicly thank the Governors of the College for appointing me to this role. They have been relentless in their determination to get your children the best education possible. In addition they have been incredibly supportive, as well as challenging at times, as a range of staff have endeavoured to further develop a wide variety of aspects within the College from campus facilities to the classroom experience for students.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all our families and students for the support you have shown myself and the College over the last few years. Your lovely emails, your feedback to help us move things on and support during the pandemic were remarkable and greatly appreciated. Thank you.

It has been an honour to be part of the team that has helped your children on their educational journey and I am very confident that the foundations we now have in place will enable the next Principal to continue the journey to fully become the College we know we can be.

The process of appointing a new Principal for September has already started and I look forward to ensuring that their transition into the College is as seamless as possible.

Thank you once again for all your support.

With best wishes for the future.

Andrew Davis Principal Exmouth Community College