



31st October 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

It is with deep sadness that I am writing to share the devastating news that one of our longest serving members of staff, Mr Dyson, has passed away suddenly.

Mr Dyson has been a beloved colleague, teacher and pastoral leader at The Wordsley School for over twenty two years. He has taught and supported thousands of pupils during this time. Everyone at the school is devastated by his sudden passing.

To allow staff to grieve and deal with this tragic loss, school will be closed to all pupils on Monday 4th November 2024.

School will re-open on Tuesday 5th November at 8.35am.

Plans are being put in place to support staff and pupils through this difficult time.

In my relatively short time here I have already seen how this community pulls together in trying times. Only through the support of others can we deal with dark days such as these. Thank you all for your understanding.

Yours sincerely,

Ashley Weatherhogg
Headteacher

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