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Dear Parents/Carers and Families

It is with great sadness that we share the news of the passing of Anne Higgs, a highly respected peripatetic music teacher who worked across many of our school settings. Anne passed away yesterday, and our thoughts and condolences are with her partner, family and friends at this difficult time.

Anne has worked with hundreds of our young people over many years sharing her passion for music, particularly brass. This news will have a profound impact on many who were taught by Anne. Her love for music, dedication to nurturing talent and commitment to ensuring music is celebrated in our schools has touched the hearts of many.

As a schools' Trust we are planning to commemorate and celebrate Anne's invaluable contributions to our community. Further details will follow in due course.

Yours sincerely

Gavin Ball

Chief Executive