



**ST JOSEPH'S PREPARATORY SCHOOL**  
Part of the Edmund Rice Family

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Dear Parents,

It has been wonderful to see some familiar faces back at school today, many of them a little higher than they were in January. There has been a buzz about school with friends able to catch up with each other in 'reality' than the virtual world we have become accustomed to.

There has also been a new face at school, as we have welcomed Mr Owen, who will be covering Mrs Watkins classes for the next few weeks whilst she is absent from school. Mr Owen has a wealth of experience on which to draw from and I know will feel made welcome by the school community.

It is with great sadness that I must inform you that Dr Kasanzi one of our parents sadly passed away last week. Our thoughts are very much with the whole family at this difficult time and I hope you will join us in keeping them in your prayers.

Almighty God,  
source of all mercy and giver of comfort;  
Deal graciously with those who mourn,  
that,  
casting all their sorrow on you,  
they may know the consolation of your love;  
through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Yours sincerely,

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