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'Feed the mind, nurture the spirit, free the imagination.'

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Dear Mr Lacey,

Thank you for asking us what we would like our new headteacher to be like. Here are our ideas.

We would like our new headteacher to be:



As you can see, kindness and fun are very important to us.

Dolphins (Y1&2) would like someone who knows how to be silly, who loves sweets, and who encourages hard work (yes, someone really said that). They would also like someone who wears bright clothes.

Seahorses (Y3&4) would like to keep Books at Bedtime, but would also like someone who would organise technology days, gardening days, whole days of sport and bring-in-your-pet days. They would like someone who is a good teacher. They did also mention that they would like someone who would shorten the school day by at least 5 minutes....

Sharks (Y4&5) came up with lots of the words in the word cloud. Zac added that he would like someone who likes football. (Mrs Brooke would like it to be known that although football causes too many issues to be played on the playground, she loves watching everyone play football together on the field at lunchtimes, whenever the field is dry enough).

Porpoises (Y5&6) were very clear that they <u>need</u> someone smiley again. And someone who is excited to come to school every day. They would like someone who understands that they all love school trips, swimming lessons, visitors, sports events and cake sales. They would like more sleep-overs too. They also said that they would like someone who can teach from pre-school to Year 6 so that our teachers can rely on them when they go to meetings, which the teachers thought was very insightful.



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Most of all we would like someone who hasn't forgotten how to have fun.

We really hope you can help us find someone who fits the bill. Perhaps you would like to apply?

Very best wishes



All the children at Durweston CE Primary School.



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