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Dear Staff and Parents/Guardians:

On behalf of the Calgary Board of Education, it is with mixed emotions that I share with you the news of Principal Matthew Lowe's upcoming retirement from Earl Grey School effective June 27, 2025. While we are excited for Matt as he embarks on this next chapter, his presence will be deeply missed by all of us who have had the privilege of working and learning alongside him.

Over the course of his 32-year career, Principal Lowe has had a positive impact on the Earl Grey community. Specifically, I have valued his leadership, which has been marked by integrity, compassion, and a steadfast commitment to creating an inclusive, caring, and innovative learning environment for every student.

Prior to the end of June, our HR Spring Staffing processes will engage and the next principal for Early Grey will be selected. The CBE welcomes input from parents, students and staff. Below you will find a link to a brief survey which will allow you to share your thoughts about what you value in a principal and in the school culture at Earl Grey.

I would be pleased to receive this input, and it will be shared with the new principal as they develop their Entry Plan for Earl Grey. Prior to **May 2**, please provide your input into these key areas using the following link: <u>Earl Grey Principal Survey</u>.

Thank you for taking time to share your feedback through the survey.

Best Regards,

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