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Dear Year 5,

I just thought I would write to you to get let you know a little bit about myself and to find out what is new in your lives. Next year I am looking forward to having you in my class and working with you all. I hope you are looking forward to Year 6 too and I would like to know how you are feeling about your transition into your last year at primary school – are you excited, nervous?

This will be my twelfth year teaching but my third in year 6. English, Art and Science are my favourite subjects. However, I enjoy teaching all subjects because I like to learn new things and find out about the world as much as possible.

What are your favourite subjects and why? Which subjects do you feel you are the best at and which subjects do you think you need the most help with?

One of my hobbies is running and I am currently training for a half marathon in September. I have also started to learn to surf, which is so much fun. What hobbies or sports you are interested in? I would love to hear about them.

Currently, I live in Roundhay in Leeds with my wife and two children, and I have one sister who lives in Norwich. In the summer I will be spending some time renovating the house and also taking some trips to Saltburn, along the east coast, to practice surfing and enjoy the beach. Will you be doing anything interesting in the holidays?

I can’t wait to read your reply and find out what is going on in your lives.

Mr Clarke