



February 2, 2012

Dear Westbriar Community,

After 36 years in education, 33 of those in FCPS it is with great thought and mixed emotions that I inform you I have decided to retire effective June 30, 2012. I have thoroughly enjoyed my many years in FCPS and certainly my last three years as Principal at Westbriar, have been most fulfilling, both professionally and personally. My time here will always be remembered fondly.

I have submitted my retirement paperwork to Human Resources. Mr. Kacur, Cluster II Superintendent will be establishing the process for hiring my replacement and ensuring a smooth transition. You will receive more information from the Cluster office in the coming months.

There is still a lot to be done this year and the Spring is always a critical time to plan for the 2012-2013 school year. Let me assure you, I will continue to work hard and give 110% to those endeavors.

Finally, I would like everyone in the Westbriar community to know how honored I am to have had the opportunity to serve you and to be your child's principal for the past three years. Thank you, parents, for all of your support and efforts, working together, to make sure Westbriar is an excellent place for learning for all children. It has been a privilege and a pleasure to work with the incredibly dedicated staff and phenomenal students who bring a smile to my face every day.

Sincerely,

Joanne C. Goodwin
Principal