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Dear Parents and Carers,

As many of you may remember; last academic year we asked all of our parents, carers, children, staff and governors what qualities they felt a child leaving Archibald First School should have. We had an overwhelming response and the four most popular ideas were; **curious, caring, creative** and **courageous**. These four qualities will now be used at the heart of everything we do at Archibald First School; they will drive our curriculum and become part of everyday life for our children.

To help embed this idea we decided to make each quality into a character that could become part of the 'Archibald Family'. The children were asked to design characters for each quality that we could use in lessons and around school.

We are very pleased to be able to share with you the designs and introduce our **Curious, Caring, Creative** and **Courageous** characters to you. These have been shared with the children and will become familiar faces in lessons and around school.

A huge thank you to you all for your help and input into this and to Evelyn Adamson who was in year 4 when she designed the characters.

We hope you love them as much as we do!

Yours sincerely

The Archibald Team