Dear Murray Lake families,

I have been extremely fortunate to be the music teacher at Murray Lake Elementary for the last six and a half years. I have enjoyed my time getting to know and make music with every student that came into my classroom. However, we all know that life brings with it many changes, so I am writing to inform you that I have left my position as music teacher at Murray Lake Elementary School. My wife and I will be moving to be closer to family to advance her career goals.

Throughout my time as the music teacher at MLE, I enjoyed the support from all of you, as well as the positive attitudes and smiling faces of your students. I am grateful for the chance to share my passion for making music with so many individuals through our classroom activities as well as through our concerts. I have learned a lot about sharing the joy of music making while working in this position, and am excited to continue on towards my next opportunities as a better teacher and person.

As I leave, I am confident that the students at MLE will continue to have an excellent music education under the leadership of Mrs. Paiz. She is kind, welcoming, supportive, and incredibly passionate about music education. Please work with your students to help her have a seamless transition into the position.

Finally, please tell your students that it has been an honor to teach them music. Tell them to keep making music to the best of their abilities. Music connects us all and I will never play the ukulele again without thinking of the wonderful students of Murray Lake Elementary School.

If you would like to contact me, please reach out to Mrs. Burnett or Mrs. Paiz and they can give you my contact information.

Thank you everyone from the bottom of my heart.

Sincerely,

Andrew Allmon