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Dear parents and legal guardians,
Dear pupils,

As Executive City Councillor for Education and Director of the Vienna Board of Education, we care deeply about **the education and future of children and young people**. School life is varied, vibrant and busy for everyone involved. It can be quite challenging, too. Therefore, we want to empower and support schools in Vienna. Your school "**GTVS Pirquetgasse**" is one of them.

In the new school year 2023/24, 12 schools in Vienna start the programme named "*Das Wiener Bildungsversprechen*" (*The City of Vienna's Promise of Education*).

We are very happy that your school "GTVS Pirquetgasse" is part of the programme.

What does this mean for you, your child and the school?

- Everyone involved in school life gets support: pupils, teachers and head teachers.
Everyone can have their say – in particular children and young people. This is important to us!
- With the *Wiener Bildungsversprechen* your child's school can improve further.
We can achieve this aim by having **pupils and teachers learn and grow together**.
Therefore, the school gets individual support and professional advice.
- We **also support the teachers**. They should be able to focus even more on the children to make learning easier and the atmosphere in the classrooms even friendlier.
- Your child's school should be **the best place to learn**.
The *Wiener Bildungsversprechen* can help improve school life and the school's environment.
- There will be **workshops for pupils**. They will be tailored to your child's and their classmates' needs.

It is a pleasure that you will be part of the *Wiener Bildungsversprechen*. All pupils in Vienna should have **the same opportunities** to get an excellent education. We are convinced that we can achieve this aim together.

Best regards,

Deputy Mayor Christoph Wiederkehr
Executive City Councillor for Education,
Youth, Integration and Transparency

Heinrich Himmer
Director of the
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