It is with great pride and a spirit of sacrifice that I take on this prestigious role which places my entire person at the service of our school community. I am aware of the responsibility that has been assigned to me and of the great importance of education for the future of our children and our region. My commitment will be "choral": it will be the result of a continuous dialogue with the school community, with the stakeholders and with the social partners. It is vital to focus on values that have always been fundamental for us, such as the educational growth of our girls and boys and the attention to every form of safety and well-being. We will work to ensure that every decision and action goes in the direction of putting our children at the very centre, so that they can grow up in a healthy and stimulating, safe, welcoming and inclusive environment. My goal will be to cultivate a culture that promotes equality, mutual respect and diversity, so that every student will be valued and supported in their learning journey. Furthermore, we will work tirelessly to ensure safe school environments, where the well-being and psychological and physical growth of every student must be absolute priorities. I believe that the active involvement of each of you, both teachers, non-teaching staff, parents, and all other figures involved in the world of education, is fundamental in order to build a solid and cohesive school community together. Collaboration and open dialogue will be the pillars on which we will build every initiative, with the aim of offering a stimulating and inclusive educational environment for all. It will be my priority to identify and enhance the strengths and improve the critical areas of our education system, promoting an innovative and future-oriented vision. Together we can work to prepare our students to face the challenges of the contemporary world, equipping them with the skills necessary to be aware, empathetic and prepared citizens for the future. I count on each of you to build together a path of growth and success for our school community. We share the responsibility and joy of shaping the future of our students, and I am sure that by combining our strengths and values, we will achieve extraordinary results.

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