

Tuesday 30th June 2020

Dear Parents/ Carers,

I hope this letter finds you all safe and well? It seems hard to believe that we are only a few weeks away from the end of the school year. This has been a very challenging situation for us all and I would like to once again thank you for all your support.

Following on from the letter last week from Dr Campbell, the staff are busy preparing resources to support preparation for September over the summer holidays. I am hoping to be able to write to you next week to confirm how we will be sharing them with you.

As we approach the end of school year we often find ourselves saying goodbye to some staff and hello to others. This year is no exception. We will be saying good bye and good luck to Mrs Mason, Mrs McNab and Miss Wills.

Mrs Mason has done a fantastic job as Vice Principal and has been a great support to me and the staff. She has helped the school move forwards in many ways including her work around the curriculum development as well as raising the profile of the use of Twitter, which has been so positive during this academic year. Mrs Mason is going off to work closer to home and I am sure you will join me in wishing her all the very best.

Mrs McNab has also been a great asset to our school and has done an amazing job of leading in Reception as well as supporting colleagues with developing art across the school. She has provided many of the children with a strong foundation in their learning. We wish her also the very best in her new teaching role.

Miss Wills, has been working with us as Teaching Assistant whilst studying for her Education Degree with the Open University. She has worked with many classes across the school as well as covering classes when needed. Miss Wills is off to take up a position in another school to further develop her skills and gain her Qualified Teacher Status, in order to become a primary school teacher. We are very proud of what she has achieved and we believe she will make a fantastic teacher in the future. Good luck Miss Wills!

Our new staff who will be joining us from September are: Mr Buffham, is joining us as Vice Principal and Miss Lapsley is joining us as a Teaching Assistant in Key Stage 2. We will also be welcoming Miss Tew back, following her maternity leave.

Many of you have been asking about which class your children will be in next year. Please see below.

Current Year Group	Current Class	Moving to	Class teacher(s)
Reception	Rabbits	Year 1 Squirrels	Mrs Johnson
	Hedgehogs	Year 1 Moles	Miss Raku
Year 1	Squirrels	Year 2 Swifts	Mr Toye
	Moles	Year 2 Owls	Miss Conlon
Year 2	Swifts	Year 3 Badgers	Miss Mutch
	Owls	Year 3 Otters	Mrs Annetts / Mrs Wynn



Year 3	Badgers	Year 4 Adders	Miss Barrington
	Otters	Year 4 Foxes	Mr Keith
Year 4	Adders	Year 5 Stags	Miss Cross
	Foxes	Year 5 Wolves	Mrs Clarke / Mrs Medley
Year 5	Stags	Year 6 Hawks	Miss Smith
	Wolves	Year 6 Red Kites	Miss Purkiss

As I've mentioned earlier, I will be writing to you again shortly to provide you with more details around preparation for September. In the meantime, thank you again for all your support.

Kind Regards



Emma Goodwin

