

Thursday 7th November 2024

Dear Year 5 Parents,

We hope this letter finds you well.

Before half-term, we informed you of the changes to the Year 5 teaching team, including the news that Mrs Hartley will no longer be continuing as the children's class teacher. We are writing today to provide further clarification on the updated arrangements for the remainder of the term.

Mrs Hartley will continue to work with the class on Monday and Tuesday afternoons, while Ms Willmouth, our highly experienced Co-Acting Head and Deputy, will take over the teaching of Maths and English on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings. Ms Willmouth brings a wealth of experience in teaching upper Key Stage 2, and we are confident that her expertise will support the children's learning and development. She will be your point of contact moving forward.

For Thursdays and Fridays, there will be no changes, with Miss Cocker continuing as the class teacher on these days.

We are actively seeking to recruit a new teacher for the Year 5 class. However, we are committed to ensuring that the position is filled with a high-quality candidate who aligns with our school values and teaching standards. We are prepared to take the necessary time to find the right person for the role.

Thank you for your continued understanding and support as we work through these changes. We remain dedicated to providing the best possible learning experience for your child, and we will continue to keep you updated on any further developments.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely

Mr JDF Martin, Ms R Willmouth and the Year 5 Team