

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Dear Year 5 Parents and Carers,

As you know, Mrs. Lund, Mrs. Arnold, and Mrs. Gomarsall have been teaching your children since January. The children have adapted remarkably well to these changes, and we've been very impressed with their flexibility in responding to different teaching styles.

After careful consideration of both the educational and well-being needs of the children, we believe that a more consistent teaching structure will be beneficial. We have been actively trying to recruit (mid-year) a quality replacement for Miss Leavey, but to be honest, we have not found a candidate who would exceed Mrs Arnold's expertise. Therefore, Mrs Arnold, our Higher-Level Teaching Assistant, TALA, and Behaviour Practitioner, will be your child's class teacher from Tuesday to Friday going forward. Mrs. Gomarsall will continue to teach the class on Mondays, as usual. Mrs Lund will remain an integral part of the Year 5 team. She will continue to play a pivotal role in monitoring and supporting your children's teaching and learning needs, along with essential curriculum planning.

If you have any day-to-day questions about your child, please message Mrs Arnold or Mrs Gomarsall via Class Dojo. They will respond as soon as possible.

As always, thank you for your support and understanding.

If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Kind Regards,

Miss Harding and the Year 5 Team