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FURTHER NEWS FOR 2023-24

Dear parents, carers and family

I am writing to you with a further update for next year.

Miss Fawcett will be taking up a SENDCo job closer to home and so will be leaving us at October half term. Miss Fawcett will be a huge loss to the school, and has had a massive impact in her time here both as class teacher and lately as SENDCo.

This has meant a slight change to teacher deployment for next year. Mrs Keegan will go up to Year 5 now and Miss Featherstone will go up to Year 4. From October half term, **Miss Featherstone** will be the school's new **SENDCo and Inclusion Lead**. Mrs Phillips-Nunn will return from maternity leave around the same time and will take over Miss Featherstone's class when Miss Featherstone becomes SENCO.

So the deployment will be as follows (changes highlighted):

Year	Class Name	Teachers	Teaching Assistants
Little Stars	Little Stars	Mrs Clark	Miss Campbell
Nursery	Nursery	Mrs Duggett	Mrs Hugill Miss McCleary
Reception	Reception	Mrs Gorman	Mrs Salmon Miss Pruden
Year 1	Malala	Miss Graham	Mrs Mitchell
Year 2	Nightingale	Miss Iles	Mrs Thomas
Year 2	Wonder	Miss Harris	Mrs Wood
Year 3	Ginsberg	Miss Carr & Mrs Scott	Mrs Wright Mrs Pursey
Year 3 / 4	Curie	Miss Bower	
Year 4	Turing	Miss Featherstone (Sep – Oct) Mrs Phillips-Nunn (Oct – July)	
Year 5	Pankhurst	Mr Pottinger	Mrs Walker
Year 5	Frank	Mrs Keegan	
Year 6	Mandela	Mr Laing	Mrs Gray
Year 6	Hawking	Mr Adams & Mrs Newton	Mrs Palmer

Additionally, due to the proposed teacher strike action on 5th and 7th July, **the transition day will now be Monday 3rd July**. You will be told on this Friday (30th June) who your child's new class teacher will be and they will spend the day with their new teacher on Monday 3rd. Children will start the day in their usual classroom with their usual teacher, then will be taken to their new class for the day. They will return to their usual class in time for home time as normal. We hope it will be a really enjoyable day for everyone and allow children to really get to know their new adults and rooms in preparation for September.

As I mentioned above, there is proposed teacher strike action on 5th and 7th July. Currently, we anticipate the following classes to be open and closed:

Classes CLOSED	Classes OPEN
Reception	Little Stars (2 Year Olds)
Miss Graham's Class	Nursery
Miss Iles' Class	Miss Harris's Class
Miss Featherstone's Class	Miss Bower's Class
Mr Pottinger's Class	Mrs Keegan's Class
	Miss Fodor's Class
	Miss Fawcett / Mrs Newton's Class
	Mr Laing's Class

Miss Carr & Mr Jones's Class will be OPEN on 5th July but CLOSED on 7th July.

If anything changes I will let you know as soon as possible. Thank you for your support.

Best wishes

Chris Story



Principal