

Friday, 8th July 2022

Dear Parents / Carers

Induction and transfer

As we approach the end of term, we start to prepare the children for the year ahead by conducting a transition visit to their new classroom and class teacher. From Reception to Year 5, those transferring to new classes will visit on the afternoon of Wednesday, 20th July apart from the current Year 3 moving to Year 4, who will visit their new classes on Thursday, 14th July. Where a more gradual process of support is needed (perhaps where a child has an EHCP or is particularly anxious) additional arrangements will be put in place in the coming weeks.

Staff changes

At this time of year, it is typically the case that some staff seek opportunities for the start of a new academic year.

Fond Farewells

It is with great fondness that we wish a number of our team the very best in their future careers.

There is so much to say about these amazing staff: they have influenced the lives of so many children; have worked passionately over many years; have put their hearts and souls into the work of Kingsway Primary School and its community. Their tireless efforts, both collectively and individually, were recognised by Ofsted during their visit; their skills, professionalism and care have impacted on so many staff, parents and children during their time with us. They leave a bit of themselves with us and take part of our hearts with them. We wish them all the very best in the future and hope they know that they will always be part of the KPS family.

Please join us in wishing the following staff all the very best in the future:

- Mrs Finnegan, Mr Cox, Mrs Hancock, Miss Stone and Miss Hill

Also leaving us from the teaching partner team will be:

- Mrs Turkington

I am sure you would join me in thanking the staff for their dedication and impact. If you wish to send a personal message for me to share, please do so via this link:

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Happy Hellos

Over the past few weeks, we have been actively recruiting the best possible candidates to the school from the high number of quality applications received. We are delighted to have the following staff join us:

- Miss Cadbury
- Mrs Malone (who has been working in the school for the last year)
- Miss Ryan
- Miss Woodman

Teacher deployment across the school

The table below shows the class name and teacher associated to each class. In italics is the class from this year transferring to that teacher.

Reception	Swan class 2022 23 Mrs Smith (M/T) – Deputy HT Mrs Chrimes (W/Th/F) <i>New intake</i>	Kingfisher class 2022 23 Miss Price <i>New intake</i>
Year 1	Mallard class 2022 23 Mr Greenwood <i>Previous class: Kingfisher</i>	Coot 2022 23 Mrs Malone (Coot) <i>Previous class: Swan</i>
Year 2	Heron 2022 23 Miss McDermott <i>Previous class: Mallard</i>	Grebe 2022 23 Miss Cadbury <i>Previous class: Coot</i>
Year 3	Hobby 2022 23 Mrs Macdonald (Hobby) <i>Previous class: Heron</i>	Merlin 2022 23 Mrs Deas (M/T/W) Mrs Parr (Th/Fr) <i>Previous class: Grebe</i>
Year 4	Osprey 2022 23 Mrs Lawes <i>Previous class: Hobby</i>	Hawk 2022 23 Miss Woodman <i>Previous class: Merlin</i>
Year 5	Kestrel 2022 23 Mrs Wilkins (M/T/W) (Kestrel) Mrs Daily (Th/F) <i>Previous class: Hawk</i>	Owl 2022 23 Miss Anderson <i>Previous class: Osprey</i>
Year 6	Peregrine 2022 23 Mrs C Smith (M/T/W) Mrs Hillman (Th/F) – Assistant HT <i>Previous class: Owl</i>	Eagle 2022 23 Miss Ryan <i>Previous class: Kestrel</i>

*Mrs Deas will continue teach Forest School when she is not in class.

Teaching Partners

In addition to the exceptional teachers, our teaching teams also include our dedicated, professional teaching partners. We are still completing the final appointment of some teaching partners for September and will write to let you know where these staff will be deployed in due course.

Support for pupils with SEND

If your child has an EHCP and is supported by a specific teaching partners, we will be in touch with you individually.



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All our policies are updated and are on the website.

If you have any worries about your child's transition, please make contact with your child's current class teacher, who will arrange to speak with you and, if necessary, the SENCo and other members of the senior team.

With best wishes



Mr L Pajak



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