

Cupernham Infant School

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Thursday 1st July 2021

Dear Parents and carers

RE: Staffing News for next academic year 2021/22

As we come towards the end of another eventful and successful academic year, due to Covid and a variety of reasons including staff development, there are some changes to our Early Years and KS1 teams.

It is with mixed emotions that I write to inform you that we must say goodbye to a number of very much loved, respected and valued members of staff, whilst welcoming some new fantastic faces to our Cupernham Infant School family. This year we say goodbye to a number of teachers:

Miss Bronte Bailey – Sparrows,
Miss Tess Lowden and Mrs Rebecca Hellings – Wrens
Miss Molly Vinney – Robins
Miss Katy Parry – Hummingbirds
Miss Alice Kirby – Woodpeckers
Mr Robbie Guy – Nightingales
Mrs Lucy Blofield – Higher Level Teaching Assistant
Mrs Michelle Pattison – our SENCO.

We would like to thank all staff for their passion, support and guidance and for their wonderful teaching and learning during their time at Cupernham Infant School.

I am so proud of all that they have achieved here at Cupernham and I am sure that you will all join me in saying a huge thank you for their hard work and commitment and wish them all the very best for the future.

Moving to September, we are very excited to announce our new team and would like to say a very warm welcome to the following members of staff.

Mrs Jaimini Parmar – will be joining Yr. R as the Class Teacher in Sparrows.

Mrs Natalie Gammer – will be joining Yr.R as the Class Teacher in Wrens with Mrs Birkinshaw (part time).

Miss Shannon Saunders – will be joining Yr.R as the Class Teacher in Penguins

Miss Michelle Palmer – will be joining Yr.1 as the Class Teacher in Owls

Miss Chloe Holmes – will be joining Yr. 1 as the Class Teacher in Hummingbirds

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Miss Ella Gordon-Banks – will be joining Yr. 2 as the Class Teacher in Nightingales

Mrs Donna Stroud – will be joining us in an exciting new role as our Child & Family Support Worker working Monday & Tuesdays.

Mr. Joe Pritt – will be joining us as a Higher Level Teaching Assistant from September working across all classes in the school.

Mrs Zoe Biddlecombe started her new role as our new Higher Level Teaching Assistant on Monday 28th June.

We also welcome Mrs Caroline Duddridge who started her new role as our new Senior Admin Officer.

Transition Dates:

The current Yr.R children and Yr. 1 children will be finding out their new classes on Tuesday 6th July and meeting their new class teacher, these sessions will be different to previous years due to Covid restrictions.

The new Year R children will be meeting their new class teacher during their Stay and Play session on Wednesday 14th/Thursday 15th July .

The current Yr. 2 children will be visiting the junior school and meeting their new teachers and classes on 9th July.

I am sure that you will join me in warmly welcoming our new members of staff to Cupernham Infant School. We look forward to a very exciting start to the next academic year!

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D Wells', with a horizontal line underneath.

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Headteacher.

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