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Dear Parents and Carers

Re: Staffing changes at Middleton

I am writing to advise you that after much deliberation, Mrs Kate Watson has made the difficult decision to resign from her post as Class Teacher at Middleton Primary School, and will therefore be leaving us at the end of this term. I would like to personally thank her for the dedication and hard work she has shown over the past three years, and I am sure you will join me in wishing her all the very best with her future endeavours.

As you are already aware, Mrs Bonnett completed her teacher training at the end of last year so she will be taking up the position of full time class teacher on an interim basis until end of this academic year. This is an exciting opportunity for Mrs Bonnett, and she will be supported by Miss Ball with opportunities for team teaching and sharing of ideas and expertise. We will be advertising the position for September 2021 and we will of course welcome Mrs Bonnett's application, should she wish to apply.

In light of these changes, we have taken this opportunity to have a slight restructure of the classes at Middleton which we feel will be of benefit to all of the children, especially as we implement the 'Build Back Better' strategy to mitigate the impact of the school closures. Therefore, from January, the classes will be as follows:

Ash Class – Reception and Year 1 with Miss Ball
Maple Class – Years 2, 3 and 4 with Mrs Bonnett
Spruce Class – Year 5 and 6 with Mrs Youngman

As we get nearer to the end of term, all the staff will be working collaboratively to ensure a smooth handover and transition for all the children. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Many thanks for your continued support

Gail Jerman
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