

19th June 2020

Dear parents and carers,

Arrangements for next year

There is still some uncertainty about what schools will look like in September and we are still awaiting government guidance on this. However, assuming all children will be back in school, this letter outlines how we plan to allocate teachers next year.

Following the disruption to children's learning over the last few months, we have worked hard to come up with a structure that will provide the best possible support and education for our children, with most children either being with the same teacher they had for the majority of this year, or one who has taught half of the year group over the last few weeks.

Class	Year	Teacher (s)
Kittens	R	Mrs Kirby (M- W) & Mrs Jordan (Th & F)
Tigers	1	Mrs Ahlquist (M- W) & Mrs Dearman (Th & F)
Panthers	2	Mrs Murray (M & T) Mrs Dodman (W- F)
Lions	3	Miss Faulkner
Leopards	4	Miss Jolland
Jaguars	5	Miss Page
Cougars	6	Miss Poole

I will let you know which class teaching assistants will be supporting once these arrangements have been confirmed.

Miss Fenn will be moving on to a new challenge, working at Laureates Primary Academy, another member of our multi-academy trust, in Newmarket. Miss Fenn has been at Kedington since she first qualified as a teacher eight years ago and will be hugely missed by everyone. I am sure you will join me in thanking her for all she has done for the school and our children over the years.

Miss Faulkner will be joining the team and will be teaching Year 3. She will be spending several days in school this term to get to know the school and the class she will be teaching. As soon as possible, we will provide an opportunity for parents to meet her as well. She is very excited about meeting you all and starting here.



Some of you may know her a little already as she tells me she led a dance club here a couple of years ago.

The children who will be having a different teacher next year will have transition activities with their new teacher during the time they are in school this term. If any children will not be returning to school this term, we will try to arrange a virtual meeting with the new teacher. We are also making sure that teachers have dedicated time to meet with the previous teacher (and SENCO where appropriate) to pass on any relevant information.

As always, I will keep you updated as soon as we have the guidance we need from the DfE and know more about what any necessary changes to 'normal' schooling will need to be put in place for September.

Yours sincerely,

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