



Hollybrook Infant School

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Dear Parents / Carers

We have got to that time of year again when we need to confirm staffing for the coming school year. Mrs Cook is moving over to the Junior School to teach in Year 3. I am delighted as this will assist us with the transition between the Infant and the Junior school as Mrs Cook knows all of the children.

The 2 teachers in Year 3 will therefore be Mrs Cook and Mrs Kyrillou.

The teachers in Year 4 will be Miss Longmore / Mrs Norton and Miss Henderson.

Miss Alderson will be Deputy Headteacher from September. Miss Varcoe-Baylis will be seconded as the Inclusion / SEN Leader across the Infant and Junior School.

The children will be told their classes on transition day and will bring home a slip on that day to say who their teacher will be.

Sadly we will also be saying goodbye to Mrs Harvey who has been successful in obtaining the post of Head of School at a New Forest Primary School. We will be sorry to see her go but wish her every success as she moves on in this next stage of her career. Mr Griffiths is moving to Shirley Junior and we thank him for his hard work and support. Mr Burns and Mrs Simmons will also be leaving us and, again, we thank them for everything that they have done for the children and the support to staff.

We have looked into the fact that the children currently do not learn a foreign language. After careful consideration, and liaison with Upper Shirley High, we have decided that all children will have the opportunity to learn French. We have employed a French teacher and all children will receive an hour of tuition every week.

As ever, thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Jane Wood
Headteacher



