



SOUTHBOROUGH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Knowledge Through Nurture

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Dear Parent/Carer,

This letter is to share with you the classes that your children will be in next year, the names of their teachers, and to share our plans for preparing for their new school year.

This table shows which classes the children will be in next year and who their teachers will be.

Current class	Current teacher/s	Year	New class	New teacher/s
		EYFS	Hop	Mrs Keall
			Bramble	Mrs Malhotra
Bramble	Mrs Malhotra/ Mrs Holden	1	Cowslip	Mrs Head/ Mrs McKeown
Hop	Mrs Keall		Daisy	Mrs Fitzgerald
Daisy	Mrs Fitzgerald	2	Snowdrop	Mrs Haka
Cowslip	Mrs Head/ Mrs McKeown		Traveller's Joy	Ms Quinn
Traveller's Joy	Ms Quinn	3	Foxglove	Mrs Lawrence
Snowdrop	Mrs Lawrence		Honeysuckle	Mrs Greenslade
Honeysuckle	Miss Callaghan	4	Campion	Mrs Sides/Mrs McKeown
Foxglove	Mrs Edgar		Oxlip	Mr Wilkie
Oxlip	Miss Cordwell	5	Ivy	Mrs Holden
Campion	Mrs Sides		Mistletoe	Mr Williams/Mr Fotheringham
Mistletoe	Mr Williams	6	Primrose	Miss Cordwell
Ivy	Mrs Holden/Mrs McKeown		Bluebell	Mrs Edgar

Miss Callaghan is getting married over the summer break. We wish her all the best and send our congratulations. She will return in the new year as Mrs Greenslade.

Mrs Hennessy, our SENCO, will be leaving us over the summer break, as she has been offered another role in another school. We wish her all the best in her new school, congratulate her on her promotion, and thank her for all she has done for the children at Southborough Primary School over the last four years. Mrs Hennessy, we will miss you but we know that you will be brilliant in your new job. Mrs Sides will be our new SENCO, working for 3 days out of class in her new role. Over the next few weeks, Mrs Hennessy will be working with Mrs Sides so that she is ready for the new role in September.

Mrs Wade will be leaving us too and is retiring. We wish her all the best in her retirement and thank her so much for her hard work and efforts for the children Southborough over the last few years. Mrs Wade, you have been invaluable and we will really miss you and the amazing effort you have put into making sure children accelerate their progress. Thank you so much for everything that you have done.

We had planned some transition activities for the end of term, so that the children will be ready for their new class and will have met their new teacher. Part of these activities will be talking about our names, their origins and heritage, the stories that

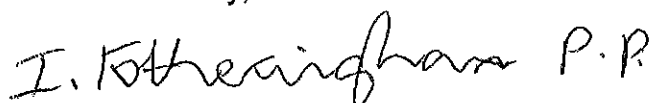
our names contain and what they say about who we are, our family and our family stories. The children may ask you about their name and what it means and the origin and family stories contained in their name, so that they can share this with their new teacher and their class. This is so we can all get to know each other better and celebrate who we are and our cultures and heritages. Please share these stories with them.

Reports will be out on Friday 15th July. These will now include, for the first time in three years, the normal end of year assessment information for children in EYFS, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 6, and the new Multiplication Times-table Check results for year 4.

Please be aware that, even though your children have had three years of disrupted education, the tests have not changed, despite allowances being made for A levels and GCSEs. The standards set are the same ones set for children in 2019. So, a child working at expected this year is working at the expected level for a child who did not have their education disrupted.

If your child is not quite where you would expect them to be please be assured that they have made great progress this year and will continue to make progress next year and beyond, so that they will catch up as soon as they can. The reports will include information about what the children can do and what they need to do to move on up, accelerate their learning, into next year. You will have the opportunity to see the progress they have made when you attend the open afternoons on July 12th and July 14th.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "I. Kotheringham P.R." The signature is written in a cursive style.

Patrick Foley

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