



Monday 12th July

Dear parents/carers

Staffing Updates

Please find below details outlining our staffing for September and the class your child will be transferring to:

Current Year Group	Current Class	September's New Class	Current Class	September's New Class
Nursery	Nursery	RCR- Mrs Russell	Nursery	REP- Mrs Phillips
	<i>If your child is transferring into one of our Reception classes, you will have received a separate letter informing you of your child's new class and teacher.</i>			
Reception	RCR	1HH- Mrs Harris	REP	1DL- Mrs Dodd / Miss Lockley
Year 1	1HH	2LT- Miss Taylor	1DL	2SW- Mr Worton
Year 2	2LT	tbc	2SB	tbc
	<i>Mr Gardner is one of the Year 3 teachers. We are currently in the process of appointing the second Year 3 teacher. Before we break up, we will write to current Year 2 parents/carers to inform you of your child's class teacher. On transition morning (explained below) all children will meet Mr Gardner and the support member of staff within the year group. We will endeavour to ensure that the children meet the appointed member of staff, prior to breaking up if at all possible.</i>			
Year 3	3RK	4CF- Mr Fergusson	3SW	4NF- Miss Francis
Year 4	4SR	5CN- Miss Newell	4CF	5MJ- Miss Jones
Year 5	6MH- Mrs Holdcroft / Mrs Middlebrook	6LC- Miss Crotty	6JS- Mrs Sanders	
	<i>If your child is moving into Year 6 next academic year, you will soon receive a separate letter informing you which class they are moving into.</i>			

The staff member identified above will be your child's class teacher(s). In KS2, this may not be the person that directly teaches your child throughout the course of the day for all subjects. All members of staff working within your child's year group will have a full overview of the needs of your child- these staff are outlined within the transition information which will be coming out to you later this week (see below).

Mrs Merricks will be embarking upon her maternity leave and will soon be welcoming her baby into the world. Mrs Dangerfield and Mrs Rai continue to enjoy their maternity leave and will be re-joining us at some point next academic year. Mrs Holdcroft has recently returned from her maternity leave- it has been great to have her back!



We also welcome three new staff members to the Perry Hall family: Miss Newell (Year 5 class teacher) and Miss Francis (Year 4 class teacher). We are currently in the process of appointing our second Year 3 teacher and will inform you of further information as soon as we possibly can.

We will sadly be saying our good-byes to Mr Davis (Year 5) who leaves us to take on a new role in a new school as part of their leadership team, Miss Bailey (Year 2) and Mrs Kumar (Year 3) who have taken on teaching positions in new schools and Mr Clarke (Assistant Head teacher) who is moving onto a new job role in a new school. We wish them all well for the future and thank them for their commitment and positive contributions to our school. I am sure you will join me in thanking each of them for all of their hard work and the support that they have given to all pupils, parents and staff- they will be greatly missed by all.

Transition Information

We appreciate that you are all eager to find out information about your child's new year group. In the absence of our annual 'Meet the Teacher' meetings that we would usually hold before the summer holidays, and in order to prepare your child as much as possible for September and their transition to their new year group, please share with them the content of the powerpoint slides that we will be providing later this week. We will inform you via text when these are available.

Year Group Emails

The year group email accounts have continued to prove a valuable means of communication between home and school. Therefore, we will continue to use these moving into next academic year.

Please note, these email accounts will not be monitored over the summer holidays- the last time that they will be checked will be 3pm on Tuesday 20th July. Please ensure that any remaining conversations you need to have via these email accounts are completed in plenty of time prior to this deadline.

Year 6

Thank you to each and every Year 6 class member for the contributions that they have made to the life of Perry Hall Primary School. We are proud of every single one of them for their achievements during their time here. Please encourage the children to keep in touch with us, we love to hear how our ex pupils get on in the future.

As usual, each year, the Year 6 staff join together and identify various children who have really stood out in certain areas of the curriculum or in school life for specific reasons. Although we are proud of each of our Year 6 pupils, who all have characteristics to be proud of, here are the outcomes of this year's awards:





Sports Award: Joshua Bradley
Creative Arts Award: Freya-Mai Bayley
Friendship Award: Emily Bellingham
Remote Learner of the Year Award: Oliver Griffiths

Well done to everyone.

Year 6- Believe in yourselves and your abilities and have the confidence to succeed- you all have huge potential to achieve. Make the most of every opportunity provided to you in the future, pursue your hobbies and remember that you can all achieve anything you put your mind to. We wish you the best of luck as you embark on the next stage of your learning journey.

To confirm, you will receive your child's end of year report by the end of this week. If you wish to discuss the content of your child's report with your child's class teacher, please do not hesitate to contact them using your child's year group email address. They will arrange a suitable time with you to hold this discussion.

The end of this eventful school year is fast approaching. It will remain memorable for all of us for lots of reasons: school closures; 'bubble' systems; one way systems; online learning. I continue to remain extremely proud of our school and the hard work that all of our staff, children, governors, parents and carers have put into yet another extremely difficult academic year. I thank everyone for their continued support and commitment to our pupils' learning. The children of Perry Hall amaze me each and every day with the resilience and determination to succeed that they continually demonstrate. I look forward to working with you all again next year to continue to build upon our recovery.

During the summer holidays, we will send out further correspondence to confirm the start and end of day timings for year groups once the full, updated guidance for schools has been published.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs C Gibbins
Acting Head of School.