

Sutton in Craven C.E (V.C) Primary School Headteacher: Mrs O Gibbons

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Dear Parents/Carers,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all your support, kindness and friendly faces this week, my first week at Sutton C of E. The children and staff have all welcomed me with open arms; I feel very lucky and privileged to be part of such a hardworking, dedicated team.

This is a very exciting time, an opportunity for a fresh start and it is with this in mind that I would like to share some staffing changes across school with you. As you all know, we will be welcoming Mrs Davison back to school following maternity leave after February half term. She will be working part time in Blossom Class on return. We are very happy to inform you that Mrs Akroyd will be job sharing with Mrs Davison in Blossom.

We have taken this opportunity to look at what is best to ensure we share expertise across the whole school, raise standards across all areas of the curriculum and use the experience of staff in the relevant year groups. Therefore, Mrs Campbell and Mrs Rothwell will be teaching (job share) in Birch class and Mrs Harrison will teach in Oak class full time.

All these staffing changes will begin after February half term. This allows us to ensure a seamless transition between staff can take place. It will also allow us to plan in some transition sessions for the children to meet their new teacher and spend time with them and provide extra transition for those children that need additional support.

In the meantime, if you have any questions or wish to discuss things in more detail, please do not hesitate to contact school.

With very best wishes,

Mrs Orla Gibbons Headteacher

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