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Staffing Change

Dear Parents/Carers,

Mrs Fullalove has successfully secured a senior leader position at a new school and will be leaving Gisburn Road at the end of this term. Whilst we are sad that she is leaving us, good schools raise good leaders and they eventually have to move on. I hope you will join me in thanking Mrs Fullalove for the wonderful teaching in Year 3 and wish her lots of luck in her new role at a new school.

I am excited to inform you that Miss White will be coming back to her home in Year 3 for the remainder of the school year. Miss White is an experienced teacher having taught the majority of her career in Key Stage 2, particularly Year 3. She has really enjoyed teaching in the early years for the last few years but is eager and excited to get back to teaching in the juniors.

We understand that a change of teacher can sometimes be a worrying time for some children and therefore will be having quite a few transition days before the end of term where Miss White will come and teach Year 3 so they can get to know each other well. For any children who may benefit from extra transition, this will be arranged in school. The children already know of Miss White and some will have spent time with her in previous years or in the Eco Warrior and School Council groups that she runs.

Miss Waterworth and Miss Rishworth will remain as teaching assistants in Year 3 to support the children as normal.

Mrs Fullalove will tell the children on Monday that she will be leaving at Christmas but please do feel free to tell your child and discuss this with them over the weekend if you think that would be beneficial.

For yourselves as parents and carers, we would like to invite you to meet Miss White after school on Thursday 23rd November 3:30-4pm in the Year 3 classroom. Miss White, Mrs Brown and I will be available to answer any questions so please do come along to get to know Miss White and say hello.

Please be assured that we are used to managing change at school and we make every decision with the children's best interest and wellbeing at heart.







If you would like to discuss this with myself or Mrs Brown (Assistant Headteacher and KS2 lead) before the arranged meeting then please do get in touch, our door is always open.

Kind regards,

Mrs L Toor

Acting Headteacher