



Newport Church of England Junior School

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Parents and Carers

I am writing to inform you of our arrangements for transition as we start to head towards the end of the Summer Term.

Year 6 children will have been contacted by their Secondary Schools and will spend a day or more in their new school between now and the end of term. Unless they are on a transition day they should attend NJS as normal. We hope they enjoy their Secondary School experiences and will be thinking of them all.

For Years 3, 4 and 5 on Tuesday 2nd July we will be holding a transition day on which all children will spend the day with their new class teacher and new classmates in their new classroom. We hope that this day helps to build confidence ahead of September and reassures children by beginning to build relationships in their new class groups.

To confirm the teaching structure for September will be:

Headteacher 0.8: Mrs Moody
Deputy Head/0.2 Head: Mr Rotherham

Year 3:
3B: Mr Butler/Mrs Humphries
3M: Mr Moody

Year 4:
4PW: Mrs Pearson/Mrs Wheat
4J: Mrs Jukes
4L: Mr Lawson

Year 5:
5K: Mrs Kerr
5P: Mr Parker
5OP: Mrs Ollerenshaw/Mrs Parker

Year 6:
6J: Mr Jones
6B: Miss Bold
6M: Mr Marsh

Sadly Mrs Naylor will finish with us in July as her fixed term contract at NJS ends. She is a fabulous teacher and we wish her the best of luck for her next adventure.



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Mrs Kucynzka has decided to leave teaching and will also finish at NJS in July.

On Tuesday 2nd July children should arrive at school as usual at their current gate. They will spend a short time with their current class teacher before going to their new class group where they will spend the rest of the day. At the end of the day we ask that you collect your child from the gate that they will use in September:

Current Year 3/September Year 4: from the security gate at the front of school where you currently collect.

Current Year 4/September Year 5: from the entrance opposite One Dental.

Current Year 5/September Year 6: from the main playground through the black gates closest to Avenue Road South.

Class groups will all be mixed up. Your child was asked to choose friends that they would like to be in a class with in September and we will work hard to try to ensure they are with one of their choices.

We hope that parents/carers understand it is 'tricky' allocating children to class groups and we have worked with every intention to ensure the children will be happy and able to reach their potential.

Please talk to your children positively about change: about the new opportunities it brings with new learning opportunities, new teachers to get to know and new friendships to build. We also ask that you reassure your child that it is normal to have mixed feelings about change (a mixture of nerves and excitement) and that everyone (teachers too!) will share these feelings. If you do feel your child is finding it particularly difficult and you would like further support then please do contact a member of the team.

We appreciate working together with you to ensure a successful transition for our wonderful NJS children.

Take care

Mrs Moody