

Monday 30th January 2023

Dear Parents/ Carers,

RE: Year 5 class teacher

As you may remember, last year when we allocated class teachers, you were informed that Mrs Dharsani would likely become the Year 5 class teacher when she returns from her maternity leave. I have recently had the opportunity to meet with Mrs Dharsani and can now confirm that she will be returning to Woodlands in her role as Year 5 class teacher from 26th April 2023. She will then remain with the class until the end of the academic year.

Unfortunately, while we had hoped that Ms Chohan would be able to remain with the class until Mrs Dharsani's return, she is unable to stay with the class until April as at half term she will be moving out of the area with her new husband. We are very happy for Ms Chohan and would like to take this opportunity to wish her a very happy marriage and all the best for her upcoming move.

In the period between half term and Mrs Dharsani's return, we will employ a long term supply teacher. Ms Chamberlain is currently in the process of recruiting someone and they may complete a trial day with the class first. When the teacher is confirmed, I will write to you to inform you of who the temporary teacher will be.

As the new teacher will not have known the class for long after half term, we plan to hold Parents' Evening for Year 5 before Ms Chohan leaves Woodlands. Parent meetings will take place on Wednesday 8th and Thursday 9th of February. The link to book these meetings through school cloud will be sent out tomorrow. If you are unable to attend a meeting on that day, please speak to Ms Chohan who can arrange for a phone call or meeting in the next couple of weeks.

As always, we appreciate your understanding and support at this time.

Yours sincerely

Ms Hasker