

DRAYTON COMMUNITY INFANT SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope that you are all well and managing in these different times. Please remember that planning is available for you on the website weekly and you can come into school and collect a printed copy of it on a Monday morning between 11:30-12. If you need any support with it, please email Miss Humphrey and she will guide you through it.

I am amazed at how many wonderful and exciting things are being added to the School's Facebook page and Twitter account each day. What a joy it is bringing to all of the staff. You are all amazing.

Hellos and Goodbyes

I am writing to update you with some staffing changes at Drayton Infant School. Sadly, Mrs. Milne leaves us on 11 May as her contract with us comes to an end although I know that she will be going on to many exciting new challenges. I would like to take this opportunity to thank her for all of her hard work and the brilliant duty of care that she has shown to your children. We will be saying goodbye to Mrs. Milne in an appropriate way, which fits in with the current Government guidelines.

Fortunately, for us we will be welcoming a fabulous and highly experienced new teacher called Mrs. Malone-Johnstone who comes to us from our partner school Nightingale Infants. Through the close partnership arrangements, she already knows the school well and has effective relationships with the staff in Year Two. Mrs. Malone- Johnstone has already begun to work with the Year two team in order to immerse herself in the planning and the school's ethos in preparation for her arrival in Year 2. I am sure that you would wish to join me in welcoming her to the staff team.

If schools reopen before the end of the summer term Mrs. Milne will work alongside Mrs. Malone- Johnstone in order to ensure that the children have a secure and confident transition.

Free School Meals

If you think your circumstance have changed and you may be eligible for a free school lunch, please get in touch with Mrs. Quinn via the office email address. You will be provided with the appropriate guidance and advice about eligibility.

Help and Support

If you need any help or support, please ring the school office. Miss Humphrey, Mrs. Lake or I are available during school hours daily. We are always happy to talk if you need to discuss a concern or issue about your child.



Going forwards

We have no information yet as to when schools will re-open. As soon as we know anything, we will get in touch.

We all miss the children very much but know that they remain in the safest place.

Kind regards,

Karen Winter
Partnership Headteacher