



## WATTON AT STONE PRIMARY & NURSERY SCHOOL

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Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

### Re: Classes and teachers for September 2019

I am pleased to share with you a list of the classes and teachers for September 2019. The children have met their new teacher this afternoon and I am sure they will be more than happy to tell you all about this. Please see the table below for details of classes:

Year group:	Class name:	Teacher:
Nursery	Robins	Mrs Goodman
Reception	Squirrels	Miss Chatman/Mrs Green (trainee teacher)
Year 1	Rabbits	Miss Oakley
Year 2	Owls	Mrs Butler
Year 3	Foxes	Mrs Roberts / Miss Walton (trainee teacher)
Year 4	Kestrels	Mrs Clarke
Year 4	Badgers	Mr Ring
Year 5	Hérons	Mrs Dowie
Year 6	Stags	Mrs Duston (Monday - Thursday) / Mrs Gill (Friday )

There are a few changes to be aware of which I have discussed below.

Mrs Mandie Clarke will be managing the preschool from September 2019 as Mrs Kirsty Green will be starting her teacher training and will be based in Reception for most of the time with Miss Chatman. Miss Walton will also be completing her teacher training with us and she will be based in Year 3 with Mrs Roberts. Miss Walton is new to our school and is very much looking forward to working with us.

Miss Oakley will be our Year 1 teacher. She has previous connections to our school in that she completed some of her teacher training with us last year; she was also a pupil at Watton herself.

Mrs Hawkins will continue as SENDCO, organising and supporting provision for pupils with additional needs.

Congratulations to both Miss Emily Stevens and Miss Lucy Greve for successfully completing their teacher training and securing teaching positions in other schools.

We will be saying goodbye to Mrs Fowler at the end of the term as she is starting a new venture in marketing. We will also be saying goodbye to Mr Treble and Miss Smith as they have been successful in securing teaching positions in other schools due to relocation. Mrs Pinder will continue her role as a teaching assistant but in a secondary school. We would like to say a very big thank you to the above staff for all their hard work and contributions to Watton School. We wish them the best of luck with their new adventures.

In addition to the above staff, we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Maureen Monk at the end of the summer term. Mrs Monk has been a cleaner at Watton at Stone Primary School for over 30 years. We wish Mrs Monk the very best of luck in her retirement and thank her for her hard work over the years.

**Reminder about Open Afternoon next Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2019 (2:00 – 3:15pm)**

Please do come along to this event in school next week. The purpose of the Open Afternoon is for parents/carers to come along and look at the work their children have produced over the year. The children will have their books out on their tables and will be prepared to share the work they are most proud of. The teachers will be in classrooms for you to talk to during the afternoon but there are no formal appointments at this time as we have already had two formal parent consultations this year. Should you wish to make a formal appointment you will need to speak to the teacher and arrange a suitable time. You may take your child home from 2.30pm onwards.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

With best wishes,

Mrs S. Gill

Acting Headteacher