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Dear parents,

Transition and the new academic year,

Over the next three days the children at Stockingford Academy will be will be preparing for their new classes and teachers. We have organised a programme of work to help this along as we are unable to swap classes due to coronavirus restrictions.

Children will:

- Write a letter / make a picture for their new teacher
- Create artwork based on Sunflowers for their new classroom
- Enjoy team building games
- Think about the skills related to teamwork and the concept of unity
- Spend some time in their current classes and some with children from their new classes (keeping within their year team bubbles)
- Find out via video, where their new classes are and which adults will be in their new year group
- Have a live Teams lesson with their new class teacher (Tuesday)
- Have a live outdoor PE session with their new class teacher (Wednesday)

Whilst nerves are understandable we are confident that this programme of work will help to reduce fears and uncertainty.

Staff leavers

It is the time of year when sadly we say goodbye to staff who won't be with us in September. Miss Maughan (Year 4 teaching assistant) and Mrs Tavinor (specialist music teacher) will be taking a year out on maternity leave. Mrs Rowstron, Mr Coates and Mrs Manning are leaving us for pastures new and we wish them the very best in their new positions.

Classes for next year

Due to several years of a very low birth rate we are in the position where we need to reduce the number of classes in the lower part of the school. This is the case for many schools across Warwickshire and the rest of the country. Next year there will be two classes in Reception and five across Key Stage 1. This means that we will have a mixed year group class for the first time in a while at Stockingford. We have already arranged the curriculum and staffing for this class to ensure all children are supported and challenged to make the most progress. More information will be sent separately to the families of children in this class.

The full list of teachers linked to each class is provided below.

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Year Group	Class	Teacher
Rec	RMW Oak	Miss Webb
	RMB Ash	Mrs Milbourne (currently Miss Stevens) and Mrs Bonham
Key Stage 1	1LE Fir	Mrs Earl (Year 1 team leader)
	1CS Lime	Mrs Clark and Mrs Scrivens
	1 / 2 ST Pine (mixed year group class)	Mrs Taylor
	2GF Birch	Mr Gould (Assistant Head with responsibility for lower school – Reception to Year 2) and Mrs Franklin
	2AT Rowan	Miss Taylor
Year 3	3NB Hazel	Miss Bohannon
	3GC Cedar	Mrs Chamberlain
	3SC Beech	Mr Clark (Assistant Headteacher – responsible for Years 3 and 4) and Mrs Gudger
Year 4	4BW Willow	Mrs Watts
	4CG Poplar	Mr Guyan
	4KL Cherry	Mrs Lincoln
Year 5	5LH Chestnut	Mrs Howells (Year 5 team leader)
	5DM Hawthorn	Mrs Doyle and Mrs Miller
	5SW Spruce	Miss Wootton
Year 6	6CC Blackthorn	Miss Caldwell (Assistant Headteacher – responsible for Years 5 and 6)
	6GL Hornbeam	Mr Lee
	6MP Sycamore	Miss Pearson
The Haven	-	Mrs Broomfield

Kind regards,

Mrs G Bowser - **Headteacher**