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Dear Parent/Carer

Staffing for September 2019

It is that time of year when staff look to move year groups, classes and even schools to develop their careers. We have now finalised staffing for September and wanted to share this with you.



We are sadly saying goodbye to Mrs Pauline Burgess who has worked at Amesbury since September 2006. Her role has changed greatly during that time and she is currently teaching Year 2 in Yarnbury Class. I know that her passion is in Early Years and she has spent some of her spare time volunteering in a nursery close to her home. Mrs Burgess has decided that it is now time to retire and spend more time with her grandchildren, and doing all those things she has been putting off due to her teaching commitment including lots of travel. We are very grateful for all that Mrs Burgess has done to support the children and staff at Amesbury, especially in her role as RE and Collective Worship leader. We will think of you with envy when we return in September.

We are also saying goodbye to Mrs Crabtree. Mrs Crabtree returned to work following her maternity leave and has now decided that she would like to spend more time with her young family and perhaps do a little bit of work closer to her home. We would like to thank Mrs Crabtree for everything she has done to ensure the children in her care have had an excellent education. Good luck and enjoy time with your family.

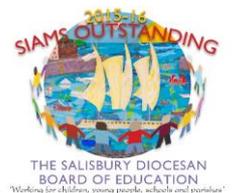


Mr Crabtree has also been looking for the next steps on his career path and has accepted a new role in a Salisbury school for September. Mr Crabtree has been at Amesbury since 2009 and has developed his role from NQT to KS2 Assistant Headteacher. Mr Crabtree knows the school and the children well, he has built strong relationships with children, parents and staff and will be sorely missed when he leaves. We cannot thank Mr Crabtree enough for his support and all he has done for the school, especially since becoming KS2 Assistant Headteacher. We all wish him well and I know that he will have a positive impact on his new school, as well as developing his leadership skills.

Miss Sacha McIlvar and Miss Jessica Ratcliffe are KS2 Teaching Assistants and both are leaving in



July to do their teacher training. Once they become fully qualified teachers...who knows?...we may see them back! Good luck to both as they begin their training.





We have made staff appointments to cover our leavers and we will be re-structuring the school slightly to accommodate our new staff.

TEACHING STAFF

Mrs Emily Hanslip has been appointed as a permanent member of the Amesbury team and will be teaching in Year 2 in September.

Mrs Jo Pegman (currently covering long-term absence in Year 5) has been appointed as a permanent member of staff and will continue to teach in Year 5.

Mrs Katharine Everitt will continue to teach at Amesbury to cover long term absence, as will **Miss Paige Clowes**.

SUPPORT STAFF

We have also appointed some additional Teaching Assistants, as well as replacing Miss McIlvar and Miss Ratcliffe. As part of our re-structuring we have also appointed a Parent Support Advisor (PSA).

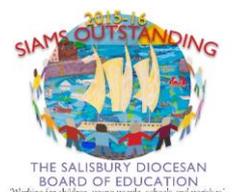
Our new PSA is **Mrs Cindy Mathews** and she will start in September and will support families with advice and training.

Our new Teaching Assistants include:

- **Mrs Larrisa James** who will be working in Year 5 every morning.
- **Ms Catherine Nufer**, is a HLTA, and will be working in Year 4 in the mornings and will be doing Art PPA for classes in the afternoon.
- **Mrs Laura Grant** will be working full time in Year 5.
- **Mrs Josephine Chant** is an experienced HLTA and will be working in Year 6.

We were delighted with the high quality applications we received and are looking forward to working with our new staff in September. We know that having extra TAs will be beneficial for the children and they will also be able to cover TA absence. Our newly appointed HLTAs will be able to cover teacher absence, so we should have less disruption when staff are on courses or are poorly next year.

As part of our re-structure, it has been agreed to release Ms Charli House from her teaching commitment and she will be supporting the Senior Leadership Team (SLT) as they drive improvement forward next year. Ms House will be working alongside Mrs Short (DHT) to revamp our curriculum. Her non-teaching role as a member of the SLT is vital to support the schools vision and to support new staff as they begin their teaching roles at Amesbury.



CLASSES FOR SEPTEMBER

Year Group	Class	Teacher	Teaching Assistants
FS2	Winkelbury	Mrs Jacqui Walker	Mrs Charlotte Arnold Mrs Teri Hayward
	Silbury	Miss Vicky Clark	
Year 1	Ebsbury	Miss Shannen Mundy	Mrs Sarah Appleby (Mon, Tue) Mrs Sam Watts (Wed, Thur, Fri) Mrs Leanne Dunford (all day) Mrs Emma Richardson (Mon, Tue)
	Fosbury	Miss Rebecca Holden	
Year 2	Stourhead	Mrs Emily Hanslip	Mrs Victoria Leigh Mrs Angel Lee
	Yarnbury	Mrs Sarah Brindley (Mon, Tue) Mrs Sarah Black (Wed, Thur, Fri)	
Year 3	Barbury	Mrs Charlotte Green (<i>nee</i> Masters)	Mrs Maria Thomson Mrs Jo Garner Mrs Gin Gurung Ms Lisa Nolan Evans
	Danebury	Miss Katie Card	
	Sarum	Miss Amanda Sainsbury	
Year 4	Longleat	Miss Amy Jenkins (Mrs Katie Moore, Wed)	Mrs Sandra Osgood (am) Mrs Emma Wells (pm) Miss Olivia Self (all day) Ms Catherine Nufer (HLTA) am only
	Wardour	Mrs Paige Clowes	
Year 5	Figsbury	Mrs Jo Pegman	Mrs Amanda Merredew Mrs Laura Grant Mrs Larissa James (am only)
	Woodhenge	Mrs Katharine Everitt	
Year 6	Avebury	Miss Caroline Buck	Mrs Tracey Kinge (am and ELSA Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri pm) Mrs Christine McIlvar (all day) Mrs Josephine Chant (HLTA) (Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri)
	Stonehenge	Mrs Emma Timmins	

Ms Charlie Wildman will continue to cover PPA by teaching PE, and Mrs Katie Moore will also continue to work with us to release Miss Jenkins to enable her to fulfil her English Leadership role.

We are looking forward to an exciting year ahead. You will know what class your child is in when you receive their end of year report on 12th July.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Terry Hall
Headteacher

