

# LEYBOURNE SS PETER & PAUL C E PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

As you will no doubt realise, the end of an academic year often sees changes in staffing in many schools as people move on, often seeking new challenges and opportunities. It is no different for us here at Leybourne.

Mrs Robinson, Mrs Sallnow, Mrs Preston-Plunkett and Mrs Corr will be leaving us at the end of term. We thank them all for their hard work during their time with us, and they leave us with our love and prayers for the future. We shall miss them all and look forward to hearing how they are getting on outside the Leybourne bubble!

I am delighted to confirm that Mrs Alison Lovell and Mrs Liz Millar will be remaining with us as Midday Supervisors, following the end of their fixed term Teaching Assistant contracts in August. We greatly value the contributions they have made to the children in their additional roles and look forward to seeing them back here in September. Mrs Millar will also be continuing to run our very popular Breakfast Club.

Our team of teaching assistants for 2018-2019 is therefore as follows: Miss Brooks, Mrs Burling, Mrs Gibbs, Mrs Miller, Mrs Mitchell, Mrs Patterson and Mrs Ward. Mrs Reeves continues in her role as SEN TA, with Mrs Newington remaining as SEN assistant, both working closely with Mrs Mills, our Inclusions Manager. Mrs Ward will continue to teach Italian throughout the school.

Finally, I would like to thank Mrs Emily Rimmer and Mrs Faith Cannon, who have provided additional support to the school this year, through the teaching of music and art respectively. We have thoroughly enjoyed working with them both, and wish them the very best for the future. I am very pleased to confirm that Mr Jonathan Jaggard will continue to teach Music Plus for a class of children next year, and am looking forward to seeing (and hearing!) the progress the children make!

As ever, I am incredibly grateful to all of our staff for their continued hard work and dedication to this school and our pupils. I have the utmost respect and admiration for each and every one of them, and all that they do. We are incredibly fortunate to have such a committed and professional staff team, and their contribution to the academic and social progress of our pupils cannot be overstated. I look forward to working with them again next year!

Kind regards

Tina Holditch

*We promote the learning and development of all children to achieve their full potential in a caring, happy, Christian environment.*