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29th September 2023

Class 6JH

Dear Parents/Carers of 6JH,

I have some important news to share with you regarding the arrangements for 6JH moving forward.

Unfortunately, due to a change in her personal circumstances, Mrs Hatfield is unable to continue teaching 6JH for the remainder of the year. She will be working part-time with immediate effect and will be leaving Abbotswood at Christmas. Mrs Hatfield has not taken this decision lightly. She has been at Abbotswood for over 9 years and has already formed an attachment with the class.

From next week, Mrs Hatfield will be transitioning the class to Miss Laura Parkhurst. Miss Parkhurst already teaches at the school and I am confident that the children will enjoy being taught by her. Mr Flood and Mrs Fenner will also provide consistency as they will still be LSAs within the class.

I appreciate that this situation is not ideal yet we will do all that we can to make sure that your child's education is not adversely affected.

There will be the opportunity to meet Miss Parkhurst (and Mrs Hatfield) at the upcoming Parents' Evening. Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Glenn Moore
Headteacher