

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

**Welcome and Goodbye.**

As we finalise our plans for the next school year, we would like to share some updates with you.

We will be saying goodbye to both Miss Prout and to Miss Bamfield at the end of the school year. Miss Bamfield has decided to move on to another exciting opportunity after two fantastic years here at Willow Green Academy. Everyone will miss her greatly and wishes her the very best in the next chapter of her career.

Miss Prout will be moving to another Delta Academy following a very successful year with us as the Assistant Principal and Year 6 teacher. Miss Prout has had a phenomenal impact on the school in just twelve months and we are sure that she will continue to have this effect in the next challenge she undertakes.

We will be warmly welcoming four new members to the Willow Green team.

Following a strong recruitment process, we have appointed Mr B Williams as our new Assistant Principal. Mr Williams has an excellent track record in his teaching as well as many years of school leadership experience from within a federation of schools in North Yorkshire.

Miss A Rose has been with us in Year 3 for the Summer term, she has thoroughly enjoyed this time and has agreed to return in September for the next academic year.

We also welcome Miss E Smith to our teaching team and Mrs M Brown to our Early Years Unit - I'm sure many of you will recognise her!

The school has grown and developed so much this year which has been recognised in our results, by the Local Authority, in the findings of this year's Ofsted Inspection but most importantly in the development of your children. Those leaving us have played an integral part in that improvement and we are excited and looking forward to improving further with the additions to the team.

Thank you for your continued support in your child's education; for supporting the changes and developments we have made, and will continue to make, in striving to achieve excellence for all.

Please find the class listings below:

Early Years Unit: Mrs E Carpenter  
Year 1: Mrs J O'Gara  
Year 2: Mr C Coglan  
Year 3: Mrs D Kitching / Mrs L Wood  
Year 4: Miss E Smith  
Year 5: Miss A Rose  
Year 6: Mr B Williams / Miss L Walker

Yours sincerely,



Mr. S. Wynn  
Head of Academy