



School News

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Leadership Team:

Headteacher: Mrs Dyer.

Deputy Headteacher: Mrs McMullan, (secondment)

Assistant Headteacher: Mrs Lee.

Assistant Headteacher: Mrs Camplin

Staffing 2018-2019

Years 1 to 6 pupils met their new class teacher this morning.

<u>Classes</u>	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Support Staff</u>	<u>HLTA (higher level teaching assistant)</u>
Carle class Nursery	Mrs Baker	Ms Zohra Salim	
Jeffers class Reception	Miss Talbot	Ms Gloria Diaz	
Donaldson class Year 1	Miss Roberts	Collette O'Dwyer	
Fine class Year 2	Miss Henning		Ms Caroline Hall
King-Smith class Year 3	Mrs de Kock	Ms Maxine Schwartz	
Rowling class Year 4	Miss Sweeney		Ms Debbie McCormack
Blackman class Year 5	Ms Penelope Jorquera Ramirez <i>(interim teacher)</i> Mrs Sweeney	Ms Corinne Russell	
Pullman class Year 6	Mr Brickell	Mrs Gemma Rose – <i>maternity leave covered by agency</i>	
Morpurgo class Year 6	Miss Matthey	<i>Fixed term support covered internally</i>	Ms Polly Cameron

Secondment

Mrs McMullan will be supporting St Augustine's school in Kilburn for one year. She will return in the autumn term 2019. We wish her all the best in her secondment and look forward to welcoming her back to our school community next year!

Middle Leaders

Mr Brickell
Miss Matthey
Miss Roberts

Interim Special Educational Needs Coordinator (SENco)

Mrs Camplin

PPA and Curriculum Enrichment teachers:

Mr Carden
Mrs Lee

Office team

Miss Baker – School Administration and Finance Officer

Ms Parfitt – Administrative Assistant.

Mrs Deary – Family Support Worker

Mr Neil Cressy – Bursar

Lunchtime team

Ms Caroline Hall - Senior Meals Supervisor

Ms Gloria Diaz - EYFS Meals Supervisor

Ms Dee Johnson – EYFS Meals Supervisor

Ms Zohra Salim – EYFS Meals Supervisor

Ms Collette O'Dwyer – KS1 Meals Supervisor

Ms Maxine Schwartz – KS2 Meals Supervisor

Ms Polly Cameron – KS2 Meals Supervisor

Premises team

Mr Peter Barney – Site Manager

Mr David Mckay – Cover Caretaker

Thought for the week

"I can do all this through him who gives me strength" Philippians 4:13

Staff who are leaving

We are very sad when staff leave our school community. This year the following staff will be leaving:

Teachers

End of contract – **Mr. Maragh**

Moving to Japan for two years – **Miss Rhodes**

Support staff

We also say goodbye to **Mr Dan Woodruffe, Ms. Maxine Tylee, Ms Kate Costello and Mr Martin Lindsay.**

They have been incredible staff who have given over and above 100% to the children! We wish them well and every continued success.

Premises changes

The PCC (*St Stephen with St John Parochial Church Council*) own the building that has been used as the Nursery classroom for over fifty years. From September, the Nursery will be relocated to the main school building so that the church can reclaim their right of use of that building.

Across Westminster, there is a surplus of pupil places in primary schools. This is due to the welfare reform which has resulted in families who previously resided in Westminster and attended Westminster schools, being rehoused in other London boroughs and the Home Counties.

The impact of this is that we will be amalgamating the two year 3 classes to create one year 4 class in September 2018. This move was highly recommended by the both the church diocese and the Local Authority.

Also in line with recommendations from the church diocese and the Local Authority, years 1 and 2 will be relocated to the second floor of the school building. This will mean that the classrooms on the first floor will not be used and this will reduce energy and cleaning costs.

There will be a meeting to discuss the school premises with the parents and carers in the autumn term. We look forward to sharing our vision with you in September.



Happy holidays

We say goodbye to our fabulous Year Six pupils who are moving to:

- **Grey Coat Hospital School**
- **Pimlico Academy**
- **Westminster City School**
- **Harris Academy**
- **Greenshore High School**
- **London Nautical**
- **Marylebone Boys**
- **St George's**
- **Cambridge School**

On behalf of staff and governors, I wish all of our families a safe and blessed summer holiday and I look forward to seeing you in September.

Mrs Dyer



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Dates for your diary
Summer Term 2018

Dates	Events
	<i>*All highlighted events demonstrate parents engagement</i>
July 2018	
Monday 16th	Bellringers Club (Campanology club) Educational Visit to Rochester Cathedral
Tuesday 17 th	9am Coffee morning for parents and carers about techniques to help manage anxiety and building confidence in children led by a CAMHS Child Well Being Practitioner
Wednesday 18 th	10am, Year 6 Leavers' service at St Stephen's church Last day for the <u>Nursery pupils</u> SCHOOL CLOSSES at 1.30pm
Friday 20 th	NEW DATE: 9am Coffee morning on the Behaviour Policy Last day of the academic year for Reception to Year 6 SCHOOL CLOSSES at 1.30pm

Dates for your diary
Autumn Term 2018

Dates	Events
	<i>*All highlighted events demonstrate parents engagement</i>
September 2018	
Monday 3 rd	SCHOOL CLOSED for staff training
Tuesday 4 th	First day of the autumn term for years 1 to 6 pupils
Monday 10 th	First day of the autumn term for Reception and Nursery pupils

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