

FARNBOROUGH PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers or Reception,

I am writing to inform you that Miss Parker will be leaving Farnborough at the end of this term. She is going to become a full time Early Years OFSTED inspector.

Whilst I understand this be very upsetting for you and the children, we are very pleased to announce that the wonderful Miss McDonnell will become the Pixies class teacher from January. Miss McDonell has been part of the Farnborough team for seven years and is exceptionally experienced in teaching in Early Years and KS1; she is also exceptionally kind, caring and very nurturing. Our much missed Mrs Holmes has been working very closely with Miss McDonnell over the past few weeks to ensure the start of term is full of fun and exciting learning challenges for the children. Due to the fact that Miss McDonnell already knows the children very well, we feel the childrens personal, social and emotional development will go from strength to strength.

We will arrange one to one appointments for each family to meet with Miss McDonnell at the end of January, so you can find out where your child is with their development and ask any questions that you may have. She will also go through any of the assessments that she has done with your children, so you have a clear picture where they are with their phonics and reading.

I know that this is yet more unsettling news for you all, but I really do believe that Miss McDonnell is a wonderful addition to the reception team, who has worked at Farnborough for many years and fully understands the needs of our children and community and our family ethos.

Please do not hesitate in contacting me if you have any gueries or concerns.

Best Wishes, Miss James



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