

BROOMWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parents/Carers,

I am writing to inform you that due to unforeseen circumstances, Miss Croghan will not be teaching in year 4 for the rest of the academic year. We have appointed Mrs Stobbs, who has worked in the school before, to teach the children for the rest of the academic year.

I want to apologise for this change to your children and I recognise that over the last few years, with COVID, they have already experienced a lot of disruption. I want to assure you that we are going to support your children through this transition. Due to COVID, there are gaps in the children's knowledge and I want to inform you that we are going to be providing your children with further intervention to ensure that the learning gaps are successfully closed quickly.

Mrs McCarthy will be teaching your children for one afternoon a week whilst Mrs Stobbs has her PPA. Due to some additional government funding called 'catch up' I am able to pay for some additional adults in school to carry out small intervention groups with different ability groups. Mrs Cunliffe will be working with key children throughout the week and I have appointed a further teacher, Mrs Dodd, to carry out some reading and writing intervention on a Friday.

I apologise for the inconvenience of changing your parent's evening too. You will be provided with some new options for this and it will be myself and Mrs McCarthy who will carry these meetings out. As Mrs McCarthy and I have taught your children and we look and monitor their work regularly, we feel that we know your children well. When Mrs Stobbs has got to know the class more, we will ask that she also has an additional meeting with you.

Thank you for your continued support

Many thanks

Dr.Owen- Headteacher

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