



**Willow Lane**  
Community Primary School



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Dear Parents and Carers,

**Year 1 Teaching Staff- Spring Term**

I am delighted to let you know that we will be welcoming a new teacher, Miss Sian Maguire, to our Year 1 team after the Christmas holidays. Miss Maguire is an experienced teacher in Early Years and Year 1 classrooms. She and Mrs Smalley will share teaching responsibilities in Year 1. Mrs Birdsall will continue her valuable work across school as our SENDCO and in supporting our wider school improvement.

Starting in January, Mrs Smalley will teach on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday morning. Miss Maguire will teach on a Wednesday afternoon, 01Thursday and Friday.

Miss Maguire has arranged a number of visit days to the school this term so you and the children will get to know her before her official start in January. I know she is really looking forward to getting to know the children and working alongside Mrs Smalley to ensure continuity and a smooth transition. Our priority remains the children's happiness, progress and wellbeing and we are confident this new arrangement will ensure a smooth transition and be a positive experience for the children.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to us at the end of the day or contact the school office.

Warm regards,

Mr Webster (Deputy Headteacher)

