Oswald Road Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

1HC Teacher Appointment

I am writing to let you know that following the recruitment process last week we have appointed Niamh Doyle to cover Hayley Craven's maternity leave. As explained in a previous letter, this new teacher will work on Monday-Wednesday, with Leanne Eldridge as the class teacher for Thursday and Friday.

Niamh has experience teaching in Year 1 and other year groups. She also has some experience of working at Oswald Road as a supply teacher. During her interview she taught a fun and interactive lesson which all the children enjoyed. The children responded positively to her friendly and kind nature and I'm sure she'll make a great addition to our team.

Whilst Niamh will not be starting with us until Hayley goes on maternity leave (February half term), she has offered to come in and help out where she can so that she can get to know the children.

There will also be a formal transition meeting between Hayley, Niamh and Leanne before half term to ensure that the staff transition in 1HC is as smooth and positive as possible.

You can support the transition by speaking to your children about the change and who their new teachers will be.

Thank you very much for your support in this matter.

Kind Regards,

Jen Dyson KS1Phase Leader



