



All Saints' C.E. Primary School

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HEADTEACHER RECRUITMENT

The process for recruiting a new Head Teacher took place earlier this week. The governors have not made a permanent appointment and will resume the recruitment process for either a temporary or permanent Head Teacher to lead the school next academic year. The governors will keep you informed of the school leadership for September as soon as possible.

S. Durrant - Chair of Governors

PARENT CONSULTATIONS AND REPORTS

It was explained some time ago the way in which reporting will be changed, and hopefully improved, for this academic year. As a staff we have spent a lot of time in discussion and planning to improve on practice. We have also presented our ideas to the Parent Forum and feedback has been positive. Plans are as follows:

The mornings of 4th and 5th July: Transition mornings for children to spend time with their new teachers.

Parent consultations: Tuesday 5th July 1-5pm and Wednesday 6th July 3-5pm. Appointments will be arranged using the new on-line system.

Reports: Reports will be given out at the parent consultations where they will be discussed. They will be sent home with children for parents who don't attend. Because of the additional consultations being offered, the reports will be a slimmer version of what has been sent out in the past.

They will contain:

- A detailed personal comment
- Review of this term's targets
- New targets set (to be reviewed in October) - Literacy, mathematics and general
- Feedback on Secrets of Success and the wider curriculum in the form of a tick list indicating levels of achievement and attitudes to learning
- Head Teacher's comment

We hope that these changes will serve to provide you with detailed knowledge about your child's achievement and progress.

Transition

We are currently planning the classes and transition arrangements for next term and will keep you informed as things progress. This was another item that was discussed at the last Parent Forum and we have listened carefully to comments made about mixed classes, friendship groups and information about the curriculum. Please be assured that decisions about staffing and class sizes are carefully considered within budgetary constraints as well as our aim to keep KS1 classes below 30. We will keep you fully updated about these arrangements.

Dates for your Diary

2 nd May	Bank Holiday - School closed
5 th May	Bobcats - Class Assembly
6 th May	PTFA cake sale outside school 3.15
9 th May	KS2 SATs week
25 th May	Sports Day
Week beg 30 th May	Half term
6 th June	INSET day - school closed for children
8 th June	photographer in - class photos
18 th June	School fayre
4 th and 5 th July	Transition mornings
5 th July	Parent Consultations 1 - 5pm
6 th July	Parent consultations 3 - 5pm
11 th and 12 th July	Brewhouse
14 th July	Discos 6-7pm KS1, 7-8.15pm KS2
20 th July	Leavers' Service in church
21 st July	break up for summer holidays



Football

Congratulations to the school football team who won their last league match of the season 9-0 against Moseley Primary School. Leon Collier received Man of the Match for his 4 goals scored and his contribution to the team.

