



# MANOR COURT Community Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

## **Reference: Class structure for the 2025-2026 academic year**

We are writing to you to confirm the class structure for the 2025-2026 academic year and to inform you as to who will be your child's class teacher and the classroom LSAs will be in the next academic year.

### **Staff changes**

When you look down the list you will see some unfamiliar names. We are delighted that during the summer holidays; Miss Grabham will marry her fiancé Kane and become Mrs Hibbard and Miss Brown will marry her fiancé Dan and become Mrs Spittel. We wish the four of them much happiness and best wishes as they start their lives as married couples.

At this time of the academic year some members of staff decide that they would like to move on to work in a different school or to leave for personal reasons. We have a stable staff team at Manor Court Community Primary School and staff only tend to leave for promotion, maternity leave, further education or relocation.

Miss Clarke is leaving at the end of this school year as her fiancé is relocating to Cornwall to join the Devon and Somerset Fire Brigade. Miss Rinaldi is also leaving her role as a Learning Support Assistant at the conclusion of this academic year as she has decided to spend the year travelling. We wish them both happiness in their futures.

We have taken our time to recruit the correct teacher to enrich our team, and we are delighted to welcome Miss Chiara Sidebotham to the teaching team in Year 1. We also welcome Mrs Massey, Miss Stewart and Miss Stacey as additional Learning Support Assistants.

### **2025-2026 class structure and meet the teacher afternoon**

As in most academic years we have made the decision to move the children at the end of Year 3 to create two new mixed ability classes for the start of Year 4 and the rest of Key-Stage 2. This decision has been based on who we believe the children will work best with and current friendships. The Year 3 parents have been informed today via a separate ParentPay letter as to which class their child will be joining and who the class teachers will be.

The children will meet their new teacher and classroom LSA during the 'meet your teacher' afternoon on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July when the Year 6 children will be attending their new schools. During this afternoon your child will go to their new classroom (after the afternoon registration has been taken) and will be returned to their current classroom at 15:00. Please collect your child from their current classroom at the end of the school day.

Current class name	New class name	Class teacher	Learning Support Assistants
	Hedgehogs	Mrs Hibbard	Miss Harris, Miss Murphy, Mrs J Lane, Mr Warren & Miss Gregory
	Squirrels	Miss Hamilton	
Hedgehogs	Dragonflies	Mrs Farwell & Mrs Gomes	Mrs Jobin-Barbour & Mrs E Lane
Squirrels	Bumblebees	Miss Sidebotham	Mrs Kilde, Miss Stacey & Miss Behan
Bumblebees	Nightingales	Mrs Spittel	Mrs Crump and Mrs Guyett

Dragonflies	Magpies	Miss Brooke	Mrs Birks & Mrs Massey
Magpies	Owls	Miss Bagnall	Ms Shears (Mrs Pacheco)
Nightingales	Kingfishers	Miss Llewelyn	Mrs Wilmington
	Puffins	Mrs James	Miss Clarke
	Eagles	Mrs Terry & Mr Staddon	Mrs Foote & Miss Stewart
Puffins	Badgers	Mrs Jones	Miss Warren & Mrs Ward
Eagles	Foxes	Mrs Bujniewicz	Miss M Smith
Foxes	Otters	Mr Johnson	Mrs Burns & Miss Finn
Badgers	Hérons	Miss Smith	Mrs Nadeau & Miss Scriven

Thank you for your ongoing support and with all kind regards.



Mr Luke Talmage  
Headteacher



Mr Alan Clode  
Deputy Headteacher & Inclusion Leader

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