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Dear Year 5 and 6 Parents,

I am writing to inform you of some class changes for September 2023. Following our OFSTED report in April 2023, we have had an influx of new children into school. This is a wonderful testament to the staff as parents actively choose to move their children to our school community. This increase in numbers has seen the most impact in Years 5 and 6 over the summer months.

This has led us to make a very unusual, last-minute decision to step away from our proposed mixed class model and instead have two Year 5 and two Year 6 classes for this academic year. This will result in two Year 6 classes of approx. 26 children and two Year 5 classes of approx. 22 children. Our work with the Three Spires Trust has also enabled us to secure an experienced teacher to teach our additional class from September.

Therefore, the staff in UKS2 this year will be as follows:

Year 5	Year 5	Year 6	Year 6
Mrs Jones	Mrs Fry	Mrs Sale	Mr Woods
			

We do understand that following our transition days in September this change is not ideal and we have worked hard to ensure that children remain with their chosen friendship groups. We will spend today ensuring that all children are happy with these changes moving forward. We know that this is the best decision we can make for your children to ensure that they progress with their learning.

Yours sincerely



Mrs C Pointon

Headteacher

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