

Executive Head Teacher: Gerida Montague MA School Senior Lead: Eleanor Prince BA PGCE

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Dear Parents and Carers

It is hard to believe that we are approaching the end of the school year! There have been many wonderful moments during this year and it has been great sharing these with the children.

All of our children have spent the morning with their new class teacher as you can see below, with the exception of Year 5, who will "officially" meet Miss Walker on Tuesday 4 July when she is back from residential.

You will have the opportunity to meet your child's new teacher and see their new classroom on Tuesday 5th September (the first day back after the Summer Holidays.) Please do feel free to pop in after school and say hello.

Current Class	New class from September	Class Teacher	Teaching Assistant
	Year R	Mrs Hynd/Mrs Gale	Miss Green
Year R	Year 1	Miss Wingate	Mrs Rothwell
Year 1	Year 2	Mrs Waller	Mrs Press
Year 2	Year 3	Miss Kennard (Mrs Munson Maternity)	Mrs Herman (interventions)
Year 3	Year 4	Mr Riste-Smith	
Year 4	Year 5	Mr Clark	Mrs Westerman
Year 5	Year 6	Miss Walker	
Year 6	New School		

As you may have deduced from the list above, sadly, we are saying goodbye to Miss Cassar and Miss Goodey at the end of the year. Miss Cassar is remaining within our partnership family and will be undertaking a new role across all of our schools as our Early Years Coach. She will still visit OLSJ from time to time, so it is not really a goodbye! Miss Goodey is relocating to Dubai! We wish her well as she starts her new adventure in the Middle East, she will be very much missed.

Mrs Munson will be with us at the beginning of the Autumn term before starting her maternity leave. We will keep you all updated when her little one arrives, we are all very excited here at OLSJ!

We are very excited to welcome Mrs Waller, Mrs Gale and Miss Kennard to Our Lady & St Joseph. Mrs Waller has a wealth of experience working the independent school sector and both Mrs Gale and Miss Kennard are experienced teachers joining OLSJ from our other partnership schools.

Teachers undertake an individual handover for each of their children. If you have any specific concerns about transition for your child, please speak to your child's current class teacher, Mrs Prince, Mrs Knott (SENDCo) or Mrs Montague.

Yours sincerely

Gerida Montague

Executive Headteacher

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