



# Midsomer Norton Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we approach the end of another successful school year, I would like to share some staffing news with you. At the end of this academic year, we will be saying goodbye to two valued members of our school team and welcoming two more.

Mrs Claire Cook will be leaving us after two years at the school. Mrs Cook has helped develop our reading culture in the school and has led and supported our music assemblies. Her enthusiasm, creativity and commitment have enriched the experiences of our pupils, and she will be much missed.

We will also be saying farewell to Miss Katie Dodington who has been a dedicated member of staff for fourteen years. Miss Dodington has had a number of key roles during her time at school including as English Lead and SENDCO in addition to being a class teacher. She has supported countless children and families with care, expertise and compassion. Her commitment to ensuring every child is able to thrive has had a lasting impact on our school community, and her contribution over the years has been invaluable.

We would like to thank Mrs Cook and Miss Dodington and wish them all the best as they embark on the next phase of their career

I am also pleased to announce the appointment of two staff: Mrs Ria Keen has been appointed as a part time teacher and Mr Natthawut Khamwong as a teaching assistant working in Comets Resource Base. Both Mrs Keen and Mr Khamwong have already contributed to our school in various roles and it is wonderful to have them join our team permanently.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Alun Randell  
Executive Head  
Midsomer Norton Primary School

