

# The Downs Primary School and Nursery

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We sincerely hope that in September school life will return to some resemblance of normality. As I said in my last newsletter, we will be looking at what we can put in place to support all the children when they return in September to help them with transition to their new year groups and classes.

Below is a table of the class arrangements for September so that you can see which class your child will progress to and who their new teacher will be. We have not mixed classes so that children can return to school with their current class friends to provide them with some continuity. Next week, your child's new teacher will be sending a video message to you to say hello. Sadly, we cannot make plans for transition to a new class in the way we normally would have. We will be planning additional transition activities during the first couple of weeks to support children's wellbeing and mental health. We hope this helps a little with easing some of the worries you and your child might have about next year.

<b>Your Child's Current Class and Teacher</b>	<b>Your Child's Class and Teacher in September</b>
New Nursery children	Nursery Acorn – Mrs McCabe
New Reception children	Reception Holly – Miss Camp
New Reception children	Reception Mulberry – Miss Cox
Reception Mulberry - Mrs Hearne	Year 1 Elm – Mr Doyles
Reception Holly – Miss Camp	Year 1 Larch – Miss Crowdy
Year 1 Elm – Mrs Bauckham	Year 2 Maple – Mrs Bauckham
Year 1 Larch – Mrs Stoyanova	Year 2 Sycamore – Miss Savill
Year 2 Sycamore – Miss Savill	Year 3 Aspen – Mr Esteves
Year 2 Maple – Mr Doyles and Miss Crowdy	Year 3 Cedar – Miss Hopps
Year 3 Aspen – Mr Esteves	Year 4 Chestnut – Mrs Clark
Year 3 Cedar – Ms O'Malley	Year 4 Rowan – Mr Joyce
Year 4 Rowan – Miss Hopps	Year 5 Birch – Miss Parsons
Year 4 Chestnut – Mrs Clark	Year 5 Willow – Ms O'Malley
Year 5 Willow – Mr Joyce	Year 6 Hazel – Mr Cladingboel
Year 5 Birch – Miss Parsons	Year 6 Oak – Mrs Ding

The Autumn Term will start on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September and we look forward to seeing all our families.

Kind regards

Ms Jeanette Allen

Headteacher