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RE - Klassen Class Teacher Update

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am writing to share an update regarding our Year 1 teaching team in Klassen Class. Ms Rozental will be going on maternity leave on Friday 6th November to prepare for the arrival of her new baby. We would like to express our huge thanks to Kat for all of her hard work, dedication and care for the children in Klassen class so far this term. We wish her and her family the absolute very best as she begins her maternity leave!

Looking ahead, we are delighted to share that we have appointed **Miss Cecilia Giles** as the new class teacher for Klassen class on Wednesday afternoon, Thursday & Friday for the remainder of the school year. Mrs Steer will continue teaching Klassen class on Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday morning. Cecilia is an experienced teacher and we look forward to her joining us to share her wealth of knowledge.

Miss Giles will be joining us from **Wednesday 18th November**. During the week commencing 9th November, Mrs Steer will teach the children as usual at the beginning of the week, followed by a familiar supply teacher for the remainder of that week.

To help ensure a seamless transition for the children, **Miss Giles will be in school on Tuesday 3rd November**. During her visit, she will meet with Mrs Steer to learn about all the children and work with the Year 1 team to plan for the coming half term. She will also spend time in the classroom and across Year 1 getting to know all of the children.

Thank you for your support. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Ms Ley
Head Teacher



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