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## **Class Organisation 2026/2027**

Dear families

As one academic year enters its last few weeks, we have been busy planning and preparing for 2026/2027 at Haxey CE Primary Academy.

### **Staffing Update**

As **Mrs L Coley** edges ever closer to the end of her cancer treatment and recovery programme, we are all very much looking forward to seeing her again and welcoming her back to school. She hopes to be able to pop into school a little towards the end of this term, before returning on a phased return in September 2026. For this, we are truly blessed.

Next academic year, Mrs Coley will be the **Year 1** Class Teacher. She is incredibly excited about working with our current Reception cohort from September! As Mrs Coley builds back up to full-time teaching, **Mrs F Metcalf** will co-teach in Year 1. Mrs Metcalf is an experienced, qualified teacher, and we are incredibly grateful for her flexibility in this temporary role. In logistical terms, we anticipate that Mrs Metcalf will work as a Teaching Assistant in Year 1 in the mornings with Mrs Coley as the class teacher, and then Mrs Metcalf will be the class teacher in the afternoon. This is a temporary arrangement for the first half-term during Mrs Coley's phased return to work. This will ensure consistency for the children and effective communication between the Year 1 staff team and families. Naturally, there is some flexibility built into this model in order to ensure that Mrs Coley's health is also prioritised.

We also **wish Miss R Clapson** all the very best as she embarks on the next chapter with our thanks for 4 years as class teacher in Key Stage 1 across both St. Martin's and Haxey CE Primary Academies.

We are also delighted to announce that **Miss M Stokes** will be remaining at Haxey CE Primary Academy as a class teacher on a permanent basis, teaching in Year 3 again next academic year. Miss Stokes joined the Haxey team on a temporary basis from St. Martin's back in October 2025 in order to cover Mrs Coley's absence. We are incredibly happy to be able to keep her in this role permanently!

Therefore, the class organisation for 2026/2027 is as follows:

| Year Group | Class Teacher                                                                  |
|------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Reception  | Miss A Lester                                                                  |
| Year 1     | Mrs L Coley (+ Mrs F Metcalf for the Autumn Term)                              |
| Year 2     | Mrs N Lewin                                                                    |
| Year 3     | Miss M Stokes                                                                  |
| Year 4     | Mrs N White                                                                    |
| Year 5     | Mrs P Morris (Monday & Tuesday)<br>Mrs H Benham (Wednesday, Thursday & Friday) |
| Year 6     | Mr K Smythe                                                                    |

### **'Move Up Morning'**

On the morning of **Tuesday 30 July 2026**, all pupils will 'move up' to their new year group and classroom to spend the morning with their new class teacher getting to know one another. There are, however, a couple of logistical barriers that we need to navigate:

- Unfortunately, **Mrs N White** is not in school on this day. Pupils currently in Year 3 will still move up to the Year 4 classroom for the morning and will spend this time with Mr J Lowe. We will schedule in another session for the children to spend some time with Mrs White during the coming days;
- **Mrs L Coley** will also not be in school on this day. However, Mrs Metcalf will be in Year 1 for this morning in order to support the transition of the current Reception children into Year 1.

We are very excited as we start to think ahead to next academic year already, whilst balancing the busyness of the end of this academic year!

Many thanks for your continued support.

Kind regards



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