

Cheapside CofE Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers

Staffing Update – September 2025

We would like to take this opportunity to share our staffing structure for this coming September.

At some point during this week, the children will have an opportunity to spend time with their new teachers.

It is always hard to say ‘goodbye’ to staff, and this year is no exception.

Staff Departure

Mrs Roberts will be leaving Cheapside School at the end of this academic year after 13 years as part of our Cheapside family. She joined the school in 2012 and has worked with all year groups in a variety of roles in that time. She has been a music teacher, class teacher, Governor, mentor, RBWM moderator, Assistant Headteacher and friend to all. Her passion for teaching music has been of huge benefit to all children throughout her time in school be it choir, school plays or whole school services. She has also been instrumental in leading school improvement as part of the Senior Leadership Team – most recently improving our approach to the teaching of writing this year.

On behalf of all staff and me personally, I would also like to share our appreciation and thanks to Mrs Roberts for her support and commitment to the children, families and all associated with the school. Her contribution to the strategic direction of the school has been second to none. We feel very lucky to have persuaded her to spend this year with us as she had intended to leave in July 2024!

We wish her well as she moves away from classroom teaching to explore new avenues in education.

We are delighted to announce that Miss Ramadhan will be returning to the school as Year 4 teacher from September. She is an experienced teacher across Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 and we are very much looking forward to welcoming her back to the team.

Our Staff Team – September 2025			
Interim Headteacher		Mrs Jo Butler	
Assistant Headteacher		Mr Wickenden	
SENCo		Mrs Hignight	
Teaching Staff	Mrs Coe – Reception Miss Grigulis – Year 1 Mrs Day/Mrs Spong – Year 2 Mrs Ryker – Year 3 Miss Ramadhan – Year 4 Mr Searle – Year 5 Mr Wickenden – Year 6 Mrs Higgins – PE teacher Mrs Barter – Phonics teacher Mrs Day – SMHL (Senior Mental Health Lead)	Teaching Assistants	Mrs Bailey (Teaching Assistant) Mrs Jain (Teaching Assistant) Mrs Lewis (HLTA/ELSA) Mrs Lopez (Teaching Assistant) Mrs Miles (Forest School Lead) Mrs Monteith (Teaching Assistant/ELSA) Mr Ryker (Teaching Assistant) Mrs Zarti (Teaching Assistant)
Administrative Staff		Ms Southby – Bursar Mrs Leitch – Office manager/PA to the Headteacher	
Handyman		Mr Frecknell	

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Kate Searle

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