



**Park Grove**  
PRIMARY ACADEMY

22<sup>nd</sup> January 2018

Dear Parents,

This year we are working closely with the Schools Direct Teacher training programme, which is a school based route into teaching. The students undertaking the programme spend a full year in schools alongside a structured programme of workshops and lectures. The programme is very successful and has trained many excellent teachers since it began.

This term we would like to welcome Katie Ashcroft to Park Grove. Katie will work alongside Mr Gardiner in Class 3, teaching small groups as well as some whole class teaching, with the support and guidance of Mr Gardiner. She has already spent some time in class getting to know the children and will begin her teaching block today.

Miss Ashcroft has had a very successful first term at Robert Wilkinson Primary School and this placement will build on her teaching skills and knowledge.

We hope you will join us in welcoming her to Park Grove.

Yours sincerely,

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