



13th May 2022

Dear Parents of Blue Class,

I am writing to let you know that we have made arrangements for Blue class after half term. Miss Emma Tarpey will be teaching the class in place of Mr Gardiner who will leave us on 27th May.

Miss Tarpey has been working at Haxby Road Primary School and has experience of teaching a mixed Y1/Y2 class. She will be with Blue class until the end of the year and will stay with us next year as part of the Park Grove team.

Miss Tarpey will be coming to meet the class next week and will also spend the full training day with us in preparation of her start.

Once again, I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr Gardiner for his hard work at Park Grove over the last 7 years. He will be truly missed by colleagues but especially by the children.

Kind regards,

Jo Sawyer

Head teacher

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Please find below a letter from Miss Tarpey.

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

My name is Miss Tarpey and I will be the new class teacher for the rest of this term and the next school year! I am looking forward to getting to know you all very soon! First, allow me to share a little about myself.





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Ever since I was a little girl, I've been inspired to become a primary school teacher, which is why I'm so excited to be working with you. I was born in Cheshire and moved to York 4 years ago. I fell in love with the city and love exploring the historical landmarks and the surrounding countryside. I can't wait to share my love of the outdoors with you all by incorporating it within my teaching.

Some of my hobbies outside of school are reading, cricket and attending music events, what are yours? I love getting lost in a good book and hope I can promote the same love of reading in our class. I have played cricket since I was 5 years old and have a keen interest in teaching PE, I hope you love being active too! I'm so excited to see your children flourish in all aspects of the curriculum throughout the year.

I can't wait to join the Park Grove team and thrilled to be your child's teacher and I'm looking forward to a year of learning, fun, and adventures. I will always have an open door policy and will be here to listen to any concerns you may have, where we can work together to ensure the best for your child.

Have a lovely half term.

Warm regards,

Miss E Tarpey



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