

Eastbrook Primary Academy

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Dear parents and carers,

We hope the message finds you well.

We wanted to send you an update regarding the class teacher position for the class (1HS). Firstly, Mrs Shoebridge is sadly unwell currently (due to pregnancy related illness) and is therefore unable to be with the class for the next two weeks.

We appreciate that the children have been taught by multiple adults across the first few weeks. For this, we are sorry. We recognise that consistency for the children is, of course, important. Mrs. Norris (1EN), Miss Bradley (Key Stage leader) and Senior leaders are working hard behind the scenes to ensure that the Quality First Teaching and the overarching provision that the children receive does not suffer. The teacher working alongside Mrs Bishop and the children over the next two weeks will be: Ms. Scottilini.

It is still the intention that Mrs Shoebridge will return to work with the children prior to heading on maternity leave. As soon as we have further information on her precise date of return, we will be in further communication.

In terms of longer- term plans, I am pleased to say that we have had a positive response to the Class Teacher advert and will be finalising the interview process in the coming weeks. Once we have further clarity in terms of an appointment, we will let you know. If we are able to recruit, a robust handover process will take effect as swiftly as possible.

Please do not hesitate in contacting the office if you have any questions.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. Clark Headteacher



