

Seagrave Village Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are well and that your child/children are managing to remain positive and happy with everything that is going on around us right now. We are certainly committed to keeping school open wherever possible and continuing to provide a safe, happy environment where children can be educated and have a little piece of normality.

Exciting News!

I am very happy to be able to share some news with you; Mr and Mrs Saleh are expecting their first baby in the spring. I am sure you will join me in congratulating them.

The class 1 teacher job will be advertised later this week and interviews will be taking place in December. I hope to be able to provide you with an update before we break up for Christmas. We will of course, ensure high standards are maintained in class 1 while Mrs Saleh is on maternity leave.

Christmas

Whilst we will not be able to run many of our usual communal events this year, we are busy thinking of ways to have fun and bring the children together. So far, these include Christmas crafts, Christmas Jumper Day, Christmas lunch and Christmas parties. We are hoping to produce a Nativity/Christmas DVD to send home. I am in touch with Santa and we will find a Covid secure way for him to deliver some gifts to school.

Staffing updates

We are advertising for an administration assistant. You can find the advert<u>here</u> if you are interested in applying.

Mr Brown (class 3) and Miss Archer (EYFS) have also joined the team this term as they complete their teacher training placement via SCITT. They have made an excellent start to their time with us. Thank you for making them welcome.

We will be interviewing for an apprentice-teaching assistant in December. This person will work closely with the class teacher to support teaching and learning within the classroom. This will provide more capacity to deliver intervention sessions to ensure all the children reach their potential following the school and bubble closures.



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Parent Governor Nominations

We are delighted to have three nominations for the parent governor role:

James Haig

Andrew Sidebottom

Miles Latham

The ballot papers and pen profiles will be sent this week to parents/carers with parental responsibility. Please return your ballot paper in the envelope provided by 30th November 2020 at 3.30. The count will take place at 1.30, 2nd December and results announced via Weduc on the same day.

Please stay safe, look after each other and contact us whenever you need us.

Kind regards,

Mrs Litchfield

Head teacher