

Barrs Court Primary School



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Tuesday 1st July 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

On Thursday morning, children will find out who their teacher and class will be for the next academic year. We are very fortunate at Barrs Court Primary School to have a team of excellent teachers and support staff across the school. Regardless of which class your child is placed in, they will receive the same high-quality education. An updated list of teaching and support staff is attached to this letter. We understand that some children may feel anxious about changing teachers or being placed in a different class to a friend. As always, we will support them through this transition to ensure they feel secure and positive about the year ahead.

Parents will be informed via an in-app Arbor message on Thursday 3rd July. Please do not call the school office, messages will be sent out throughout the morning. If you have not received a message by lunchtime, please contact the office or speak to Mr Webster at the end of the day.

On Thursday 8th July, children will spend time with their new teacher in their new classroom. In the first week of Term 1, parents and carers will have the opportunity to meet the new class teacher and visit the classroom - a chance to ask any questions and gain an understanding of the year ahead.

You will notice some changes in the attached staff list, including team members moving to different areas of the school, some heading off on maternity leave and others retiring. Please also note that the names of some mixed-year classes have changed.

In Red Area, we are delighted to welcome back Miss Crandon and Miss Turle, who are returning from maternity leave and will be sharing Ruby Class. We are also pleased to welcome Miss Kendall and Ms Hazzard to the Barrs Court team; they will be teaching in Sapphire and Aqua Class respectively.

Miss Pinnell will begin her maternity leave on 14th July and Miss Warlow will remain with us until the end of September before starting her maternity leave. We wish them both the very best as they prepare for the arrival of their babies and look forward to welcoming them back in the future.

Finally, we say a fond farewell to Mrs Ireland, who is retiring after joining the school in 2009. We thank her for her many years of dedication, care, and hard work — she has made a lasting impact on the Barrs Court community and will be greatly missed.

We also have several members of our Lunchtime and WASP teams leaving at the end of the year. I will share more details about their departures and contributions later this term.

Thank you for your continued support.

Daniel Webster
Headteacher



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Teaching Structure 2025-26

Reception	Opal Class	Pearl Class
Class Teachers	Mrs Duce-Jones	Miss Frapwell
Area Leader	Mrs Duce-Jones	

Red Area	Jasper Class (Year 1)	Garnet Class (Year 1 / 2)	Ruby Class (Year 2)
Class Teachers	Miss Drew	Miss Chivers	Miss Crandon / Miss Turle
Red Area Leader	Miss Paine		

Blue Area	Turquoise Class (Year 3)	Topaz Class (Year 3 / 4)	Sapphire Class (Year 4)
Class Teachers	Mrs Brown	Mrs Balch / Mrs Perkins	Miss Kendall
Blue Area Leader	Mrs Brown		

Green Area	Aqua Class (Year 5)	Jade Class (Year 5/6)	Emerald Class (Year 6)
Class Teachers	Mrs Quinton / Ms Hazzard (Friday)	Mrs Williams	Mr Walker
Green Area Leader	Mr Walker		

School Teaching Assistants	<p> Mrs Garrett (HLTA) Ms Basrai (SENTA) Ms Langman (TA) Miss Holbrook (SENTA) Mrs Kaur (TA) Miss Honeywell (SENTA) Mrs Cook (FLW / HLTA) Mr Stevens (HLTA) Miss Jones (SENTA) (ELSA) Mrs Perkins (SENTA) (ELSA) Miss Fry (SENTA) Mrs Vowles (TA) </p>
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| • SENDCo | - Special Education Needs Co-Ordinator |
| • FLW | - Family Link Worker |
| • HLTA | - Higher Level Teaching Assistant |
| • ELSA | - Emotional Literacy Support Assistant |
| • SENTA | - Special Educational Needs Teaching Assistant |