



Bapchild & Tonge CE (Aided) Primary School and Nursery

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Year R Parents and Carers,

We are pleased to let you know that from January, our experienced Deputy Head, Mr Smiley, will be teaching the class for the remainder of the year while covering Mrs Unsworth's maternity leave. Mr Smiley already knows the children well and is very familiar with the Reception environment. He is excited to get stuck into play and learning with the class.

As part of this change, Mr Smiley will no longer be teaching Year 6 on Mondays. He, along with Mrs Freestone and Miss Hopkinson, are very much looking forward to leading the class together.

We know you will join us in wishing Mrs Unsworth and her family all the very best as they await their new arrival.

Yours sincerely,

C Kelly

Mr C Kelly
Headteacher