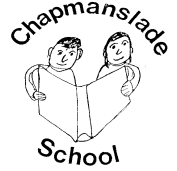




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7th July 2020

Dear Parents of Y2 and Y3 pupils

As many of you know, the school has a vacancy for a full time permanent teacher in Key Stage 2. We recently advertised the vacancy nationally, locally and on our own website. Unfortunately, due to the difficulties for some candidates of travelling and visiting, it has not been possible to select a suitable shortlist of high calibre candidates for this important vacancy in our school. As life begins to resemble normality again, I will re-advertise in September with the expectation that we will be able to appoint a new teacher to start in January 2021.

After the lockdown and disruption of 2020, we all want Oak class to get the new academic year off to a flying start. Mrs Locke agrees that stability for the pupils is key and I am delighted that she has been able to re-arrange her many commitments so that she will be available to teach Oak class full time from September to December. Mrs Locke is a very experienced, kind and happy teacher who knows our school well, having taught here last year and since lockdown.

With a large family of her own, Mrs Locke is sadly not available to take up the permanent position but she is very much looking forward to getting to know all of Oak class, and helping them to settle back into the school routine. I know that you will join the team and me in making her very welcome.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely
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