



Staff Absence

Dear parent/carers

From Wednesday the 12th May 2021 Miss Watson will be absent for several weeks.

For several years now she has delayed having an operation on her eyes. This has mainly been down to her pure dedication for her job and not wanting to let her class or the school down.

It has now reached the point that the operation can no longer be delayed and she must put her health first.

As with an operation, especially the eyes it will be hard to predict when she will be able to return to work, as they will operate on one eye and then do the other once the first has recovered. We will of course keep you up to date.

While Miss Watson is absent her class will be covered on between Mrs Coverley and Mr Pattern, along with an experienced supply teacher.

Mrs Coverley, as you all know is a very experienced and well-respected senior teaching assistant.

Mr Pattern is a trainee teacher that will be fully qualified member of our teaching team from September 2021.

The supply teacher is experienced and has been part of a school leadership team.

Miss Watson has been working very hard in the background and will be sharing her planning and expectations with all the relevant staff. So you should not be concerned about catch-up or coverage of key curriculum areas.

I am sure you will wish Miss Watson a speedy recovery.

Mrs C.A. Smith
(Head of School)