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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to let you know that Miss Stretton will be beginning her maternity leave on the 16th January. We are sure you will join us in wishing her all the very best during her time away and as she prepares for this exciting new chapter in her life.

To ensure continuity and a smooth transition for the children, we are pleased to share that Mrs Coley will be joining the EYFS team as the teacher for Robin class. She has already spent the past few weeks working within the setting, getting to know the children and familiarising herself with our routines. This has helped to create a calm and confident handover for the class.

During Miss Stretton's absence, Miss Tanner will take on the role of EYFS Lead, ensuring consistency across the provision and supporting the team throughout the remainder of the year.

Below, you will find a brief introduction from Mrs Coley, which you may wish to share with your child.

Hello Robin Class! My name is Mrs Coley and I'm very excited to teach you next year! I love reading - there are so many wonderful books, but one of my favourites for reception is 'The Tiger Who Came to Tea'. I have lived in four different countries and I love learning languages and travelling to new places to explore! When I'm not at school, I like to relax by hiking in the beautiful Peak District. I'm looking forward to getting to know you all and learning lots of amazing things together!

Should you have any questions about the arrangements outlined above, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards,

Miss Watson

Acting Headteacher