

Our Classes

With our staffing nearly all in place we can now provide an overview of our classes for next session.

Please be aware that this is still in draft and is subject to change.

Please note that our class sizes have been created in line with Midlothian Council guidance and we cannot move pupils in to other classes.

Primary 1B	Mrs Beechman
Primary 1W	Mrs Wightman Mrs Jardine (Monday)
Primary 2	Miss Miller Mrs Jardine (Tuesday)
Primary 2/3	Miss Taylor
Primary 3	Miss Gallacher
Primary 4C	Mr Wilson
Primary 4S	Mr McGaff
Primary 5	Mr Wood
Primary 5/6	Mr Jackson
Primary 6	Mr McIntyre
Primary 6/7	Mrs Scott
Primary 7	Mr Johanson
SLC Acorns	Mrs Dryden
SLC Oaks	Mrs Danial
The Hive	Vacancy

Head Teacher:
Mrs L Walker

Depute Head
Teacher:
Mrs A.Dingwall

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Mr C Wilson

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School Newsletter
June 2021

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As we move into our final few weeks of this school term, on behalf of our whole staff team I would like to thank our families for your support of our school in such a challenging school year. As a school team, we all hope that August brings us a much anticipated return to more 'normal' classroom organisation, but we need to await government guidance on this. When we find out this information we will communicate this with families. Please note that this may take place in August.

At this time we cannot confirm with families whether we will return to our normal school day in August or if we will still have staggered start and finish times for classes. As soon as we know what we can do, we will communicate this with you. Should this not happen before the start of the school holidays, we will communicate this information to all families in August before we return to school.

We know that there still seems to be many unanswerable questions at this time, but we will try to make sure any changes are communicated as soon as we can. All information will be communicated to families before the start of the new term, but potentially during our school holidays in August.

As information may be communicated during the holidays it is extremely important that we have an up to date email address for parents and carers so that you receive any information or changes. Please contact the school office if this affects you.

Finally, on behalf of our whole staff team, I would like to wish you a relaxing Summer break, and I hope the sun shines for us all!

L Walker

COVID-19 Symptoms

Please be aware that your child cannot come in to school if they are displaying COVID-19 symptoms. If your child is displaying symptoms, please ensure that you contact the school to inform of this and we can keep you right with procedures to follow.

All pupils who are symptomatic require a PCR test to be completed and the result to be in place before returning to school.

Staffing Update

As we move to the final two weeks of term we have many staffing changes to update you with.

Mr Winnington and Mr Evans have completed their NQT year with great success in our school and will be moving on to pastures new. We wish them every success as they begin their teaching careers! Good luck!

Mrs Beasley and Miss Scott will also be leaving our team at the end of this term and are both starting new, exciting phases in their careers. We thank them for their contribution to our school community over the past few sessions, and wish them both continued success!

Mrs Burnell is relocating and moving closer to her family in England. We thank Mrs Burnell for her contribution to our school and wish her every success as she starts a new chapter in her teaching career.

Finally Mr Cook is leaving for a period of time as he relocates to teach overseas. We wish Mr Cook every success in this new venture and look forward to hearing all about his teaching experiences on his return!

With members of our teaching staff leaving, we will be able to welcome new teaching staff to our team.

We currently have an advert for a permanent Principal Teacher to join our team. Interviews are planned to take place in the last week of term, and we will keep you updated of the outcome of this.

We welcome another Mr Wilson to our teaching team. Mr Wilson is really looking forward to joining our team, and meeting his new class. Mr Wilson joins us from another Midlothian school.

We welcome Mr Jackson to our teaching team. Mr Jackson is an experienced teacher and is just walking along the corridor from St Luke's to join us! He is really looking forward to meeting his new class and joining Mayfield.

Miss Gallacher is returning from her maternity leave. We are delighted she is returning to the team, and she will be in school the last week of term before the Summer holidays. She is really looking forward to being back in school!

Finally, Miss Miller will be joining our teaching team. She is really excited to be coming to Mayfield and is really looking forward to meeting her class in August.