



Friday 20th June 2025

Dear Parents,

I am delighted to share with you our staffing arrangements for St Cross Catholic Primary School for the academic year beginning September 2025.

Our teaching teams for each year group will be as follows:

Reception will be led by Mrs. Panter and Miss. Elliott,

Year 1 pupils will be taught by Mrs. Milner (Monday to Wednesday) , Mrs. Stewart, (Wednesday to Friday) and Miss. Warren, ensuring continuity and support as they transition from the Early Years Foundation Stage.

Year 2: Mrs. Hill (Monday to Wednesday) / Mrs. James (Thursday and Friday), with support from Mrs Abas,

Year 3 : Mrs. Gill, supported by Mrs. Ives and Mrs. Clark,

Year 4: Mrs. Venter, supported by Mrs. Bowen and Mrs. Piacquadio,

Year 5: Mr. White and Mrs. McIntyre,

Finally, Year 6 will be taught by Mrs. Shields (Monday to Wednesday)/ Mrs. Radburn (Wednesday to Friday), Mrs Jenkins and Miss. Judge, as they work towards their SATS and transition to secondary education.

I am pleased to inform you that on Thursday, 10th July 2025, all pupils will have the opportunity to meet their new teachers and spend time working in their new classrooms. This transition day is always an occasion which helps to ensure pupils feel confident and prepared for the new academic year.

It is with mixed emotions that I must inform you of some departures from our school family. We will be saying goodbye to Mrs Banner (Miss Nixon), who has secured an exciting position as English Lead in a Middle School. Additionally, Mrs Daniels has made the decision to leave education for the time being to concentrate on her family commitments. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to both colleagues for their dedication and contribution to St Cross, and we wish them every success and happiness in their future endeavours.

I am confident that our staffing arrangements for September 2025 will continue to provide the high-quality education and pastoral care that St. Cross is known for. Should you have any questions regarding these arrangements, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

You will be able to meet the new teachers at our Curriculum Evening on Tuesday 9th September 2025 at 6pm. This will be an excellent opportunity to learn more about your child's new class and the exciting learning opportunities ahead.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

Joanne Walsh

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