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Butterflies Class teaching arrangements

Dear Parents & Carers in Butterflies class,

As you may be aware Mrs Damacus is expecting a baby and is due in mid/late May. We are really pleased for her and wish her all the best in motherhood. She currently hopes and expects to work as far as the first week of May. It is possible that she may work beyond this, but it is also possible that she might finish slightly earlier depending on how the latter stage of her pregnancy is going. I will update you again if / when there is a change of finish date for Mrs Damacus.

I understand that parents and carers may have some concerns, as this means there will be a second change of teacher during this academic year. I am working with senior leaders and governors to ensure that the arrangements that are put in place to effectively mitigate any risk of stifling the academic progress or personal development that your child is making. Again, I hope to be able to share a firm plan for the teaching arrangements for the remainder of the year before the Easter holidays.

If you have any questions in the meantime, please speak to Mr Skehan or Mrs Harper in the first instance.

Yours faithfully,

Diarmuid Skehan