

Drifffield Junior School



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Dear Parents/Carer

Sadly we have three members of staff leaving us at the end of the school year.

Mr Hopper, our year 6 teacher and PE support lead, is re-locating to West Yorkshire and has been successful in securing a promoted post there. Since we will have four classes rather than five in year 6 in September, we have not needed to replace Mr Hopper.

Mrs Foxton, our highly regarded SENDCo and year 6 teacher, will also be leaving us to take up a well deserved deputy headship at Stamford Bridge Primary School. Mrs Foxton's role will be filled from September by Mrs Holgate, a year 6 teacher and SENDCo from a smaller East Riding Primary School. The two are working closely together to liaise about the SEN pupils currently at DJS as well as those pupils who will be arriving in September.

Finally Mrs Peacher, who is one of our valued lunchtime supervisors, will be retiring after working at DJS for many years. She certainly deserves to put her feet up a little more, and we truly hope she enjoys a long and happy retirement. The lunchtime post has been advertised and will be filled ready for September.

Whilst we will be sad to see them all go, and we thank them for their hard work and commitment to the school, I'm sure you'll share with me in wishing the three staff all the very best for a happy and fulfilled future.

Yours sincerely

Linda Laird

Headteacher

