



The Federation of Middleham (VA) & Spennithorne (VC) CE Primary Schools

Executive Headteacher – Mrs Marie Mann

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They will be like a tree planted by the water that sends out its roots by the stream.
It does not fear when heat comes; its leaves are always green.
It has no worries in a year of drought and never fails to bear fruit.

Jeremiah 17: 7 - 8

1st July 2022

Class Structure for September 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am delighted to welcome Mrs Anna Arkle and Mrs Kathryn Wheeler to our staff team in September. Mrs Arkle is currently teaching at St Augustine's Catholic Primary School, Darlington and brings with her experience of teaching in small rural schools. She will be teaching our children in Year 2. Mrs Wheeler currently works as a teaching assistant at Hunton and Arrathorne Primary School and has previously worked in our federation to deliver Forest Schools sessions in all our classes as well as being a parent governor. She will be a teaching assistant in our Year 1 class.

We also welcome Mrs Natalie Hartop to our team who will be working in the school office at Spennithorne from September.

All our classes are going to be named after trees from September to link in with our school vision.

On our Spennithorne site we will have:

Maple Class (EYFS): Mrs Brown and Miss Remmer

Willow Class (Year 1): Mrs Ibbotson (Mon – Thurs) & Mrs Savage (Fri) and Mrs Wheeler

Elm Class (Year 2): Mrs Arkle and Mrs Hall

Lunchtime: Mrs Hall and Mrs Wheeler

On our Middleham site we will have:

Sycamore Class (Year 3/4) Mrs Bowkett (Mon, Tues) & Miss O'Neill (Wed – Fri) and Mrs Ruthven

Oak Class (Year 5/6) Mrs Bradbury and Mrs Pearson

Lunchtime: Mrs Hedley and Mrs Thompson

Mrs Barber will continue as our Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator (SENDCo) and will be teaching in Spennithorne on a Thursday afternoon as she does currently.

Mr Bullock will continue to provide high quality Physical Education (PE) in both our schools and will be joined by Mrs Bullock (dates of PE to be confirmed).

All our children will be having a transition morning on **Tuesday 5th July 2022** and will get to meet their new teacher.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards





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