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Dear EYFS Families,

As we prepare to welcome your children to our school, I wanted to share an important update with you.

Unfortunately, Mrs Bennett will be undergoing surgery in September and, due to the length of recovery required, she will be away from school for the foreseeable future. While we know this news may be disappointing, we are pleased to reassure you that we have been working hard to ensure a strong and supportive plan is in place for our youngest children. We know that a child's first year at school is incredibly important. Building positive relationships, feeling safe and secure, and settling happily into school life are all key priorities for us. With this in mind, Mrs Matthews, who many families will know from Seal Class, will be moving across to teach Penguin Class. Mrs Matthews is an experienced EYFS teacher who knows our school and our children exceptionally well.

Alongside this, we are delighted to welcome Mrs Jordan to our team. Mrs Jordan will be working alongside Mrs Davolls and will play an important role in supporting the children as they begin their school journey with us.

We are confident that these arrangements will provide continuity, stability and high-quality teaching and care for all of our EYFS children.

I'm sure you will join us in wishing Mrs Bennett a successful operation and a speedy recovery. We will be keeping her in our thoughts and sending our very best wishes during her recovery.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

In the meantime, we look forward to seeing you and your children at our Stay and Play session.

We are excited to begin this journey with you and cannot wait to welcome your children into our school community.

Kind regards,
Jo Jalszynski