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IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR SEPTEMBER 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am delighted to be able to share with you our teaching profile for September 2020. All teachers are already working in our school, which is very good for consistency going into the new academic year.

There are a number of teachers moving into different year groups and we welcome the opportunity to enable this to happen, giving our teachers new and exciting opportunities to extend and share their skills, knowledge and experience more widely.

TEACHERS & CLASSES FOR 2020/21				PREVIOUS CLASS 2019/20
EYFS	Nursery	Ruby	Serena Haughton	Current and new children
	Reception	Pearl	Erik Engberg	Ruby & new children
		Opal	María Dávila	Ruby & new children
Key Stage 1	Year 1	Emerald	Cassandra Alexis	Opal
		Amethyst	Thushari Dassanyake	Pearl
	Year 2	Diamond	Ella Damian	Amethyst
		Sapphire	Caleen Davis-Moore	Emerald
Key Stage 2	Year 3	Coral	Christina Georgiades	Diamond
		Amber	Slav Anisowicz	Sapphire
	Year 4	Crystal	Adi Kyeyune	Amber
		Garnet	Omari Barton-Ellington	Coral
	Year 5	Onyx	Marantha Cabey	Garnet
		Quartz	Rowena O'Malley	Crystal
	Year 6	Azore	Sophie Baker	Onyx
		Ammolite	Mark Ellis	Quartz

This year Ms Darby & Ms Panayi will be covering the Planning, Preparation & Assessment (PPA) time for our classteachers.

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Ms Darby is our lead teacher for computing and will be using her expertise and skills to deliver computing lessons to the children of the classes she is covering. We want to really focus on our teaching and the learning of information technology as part of our Science, Technology, Engineering & Maths (STEM) experience for our children.

Ms Panayi, a very experienced teacher who usually teaches in the upper school (years 5 & 6), will be teaching across the school with a real focus on core English & mathematics skills. This will enhance the learning the children have in class and will support the work the school will be doing to 'fill in the gaps' in learning that children may have due to the partial school closure this summer term.

Mr Joyce will be leading on our Forest School, supported by Mr Ssesazi; this will begin for the children in year 3 later in autumn term. We will be sending out more information about our Forest School very soon.

Ms Emin, will be on maternity leave in September and we all wish her well with the birth of her second child when that time comes.

In our Early Years, to support our new nursery children with transition into nursery and our current nursery children with transition into reception, we have the following Key Worker staff:

Ms Kirkcesme and Ms Bates in Nursery

Ms Kumbe in Pearl Class

Ms Karaaslan in Opal Class

We are unable to give physical tours of the school or organise transition events for the children, but are currently putting together a virtual tour of our Nursery & Reception classes (Early Years). This will be available to you on our website soon.

Please note that due to a lack of two year olds applying through the Government's "Free for 2s" programme, we are not planning to offer the provision from September.

If you have any questions, queries or are worried about your child starting or returning, please do not hesitate to contact the school at admin@devonshirehill.haringey.sch.uk or call us on 020 8808 2053 and someone will get back to you. We have our amazing Pastoral Team ready to help and welcome you to our school, or back to our school.

Yesterday, the Department for Education published guidance on the opening of schools in autumn: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/actions-for-schools-during-the-coronavirus-outbreak/guidance-for-full-opening-schools>. We will be following this guidance and it will inform the risk assessment for our school.

We are all very excited and looking forward to having you all back. Please tell your friends about us so we can fill our school with even more wonderful children!

All best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Julie D'Abreu
Headteacher

