



Chuter Ede Primary School

"Valuing everyone and aiming for our best."

Mission Statement: "Valuing Everyone and Aiming for our Best" —
WE VALUE BEING EQUITABLE, INCLUSIVE, ASPIRATIONAL and KIND

Friday 1st March 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

I do hope you are well.

I'd like to share some staffing news with you today. After 17 years at Chuter Ede, Mrs Lynn Pope, Year 3 teacher at Fernwood site, will be retiring. Over the years Mrs Pope has worked at both sites in Foundation, Year 1 and Year 3. Mrs Pope has contributed lots to school life over the years and will be greatly missed. Her sewing skills are outstanding and she has whipped up all sorts of wonderful costumes over the years- we're hoping she's got her needle and thread ready for The Lion King!

We are delighted that Miss Gemma Cowan will be taking the lead as classteacher in this year 3 class. Gemma has recently qualified as a teacher and we couldn't be happier for her. We have come full circle as Gemma first began her teaching journey with Mrs Pope as a student. Miss Cowan knows the school and children very well indeed and she is very excited to be taking up this role for the Summer term.

We are sure you join us in wishing Mrs Pope the very best in her retirement when the time arrives- her last day will be Thursday March 28th, whilst also welcoming Miss Cowan to her new role.

Warm Regards,
Bernadette Hunter
Headteacher

Date?	What's happening?
Thursday 7 th March 2024	World Book Day- We shall not be dressing up this year.
Monday 11 th March 2024	Parents Evening
Friday 15 th March 2024	Comic Relief
Monday 25 th -Wednesday 27 th March 2024	Year 6 PGL trip
Thursday 28 th March 2024	Last day of Spring term