

## **Year 3**Transition information for September 2024

# Meet your Teachers



#### Mrs Peach

My name is Mrs Peach and I have been teaching within Wickersley Partnership Trust for 11 years. I will be teaching in our class on Mondays and Tuesdays. My favourite school subject is Maths and I enjoy dancing, singing and spending time outside. I live with my husband, Mr Peach and our two year old son, Edward. He is very cheeky and loves exploring! I will be telling you lots of stories about him. I am looking forward to our year ahead and finding out all about you!

### Mrs Booth

Hi! My name is Mrs Booth and I have taught at Aston Hall J&I School for 20 years. I will be teaching you all at the end of the week (Wednesday to Friday). I live with my husband, two children and dog (a cockerpoo called Gracie). In my spare time, I often take my children to their activities; my son loves football and cricket while my daughter does swimming, dancing and football. I also love



to read, go for walks as well as spending time with friends. I love to travel to new places and before I started teaching, I travelled around Australia and New Zealand for a year; I was even brave enough to do a skydive and two bungee jumps!



### Meet your Teaching Assistants



Mrs Lindley

Hi, my name is Mrs Lindley I have worked at Aston Hall School since 2004 as a teaching assistant. My role within school is working in our nurture provision supporting our most vulnerable children. I absolutely love my job building relationships with all our children. It really is such a privilege watching them grow and achieve everyday. I have two boys Billy 14 and Harry 10 which keep me very busy on weekends. I love to watch them play football. I have a little shih suh called Teddy who is just like a real life Teddy bear.



Mrs Clifton

Hi, I'm Mrs Clifton. I have been working at school for the past 12 years, before that I was a parent volunteer which I started as my youngest child joined Foundation stage. I love my job and I believe I am the luckiest person in school. I work with all classes and pupils on a weekly basis covering all teachers on their PPA time out of class. Watching pupils grow in confidence and size from year 1 through to year 6 is a privilege.

Out of school I have 2 things I love, family and swimming. To add to the craziness, we have 2 loveable black Labradors called Indie and Lola who I love to walk with my husband. Then there is swimming, I have been part of the City of Sheffield Swimming Club for the past 35 years. First as a swimmer, during this time I was lucky enough to swim for Great Britain.

Since retiring I have always stayed involved in the club and still coach 3 times a week after school.

We'll also have Miss Neal working with us, who starts in September.



Mrs Stickland

Hi, I'm Mrs Stickland. I have been a Teaching Assistant at Aston Hall for almost 10 years and volunteered here for 2 years before that. I have always worked within the childcare and social work industry and trained as a Nursery Nurse when I left school. I love being a part of primary school life and I have a passion to support all children to achieve their best potential in all areas and believe this is gained by helping them to feel safe and happy. Over the years, I have had the amazing opportunity to experience all year groups in school by supporting and assisting the teachers by carrying out various roles.

My personal life is just as hectic with a 16 year old son, who used to be a pupil here at Aston Hall, and I also have a crazy Border Terrier called

Poppy who makes us laugh every day. Some of you will have also seen me around at the local Scout Group in Swallownest. I am the Secretary on the Board of Trustees and am very much involved with all sections; Squirrels, Beavers, Cubs and Scouts. I feel very proud to be able to give back to the community by ensuring children gain the most experiences they can and I work closely with some amazing Section Leaders.

## Class Information



#### Class Dojo & Homework

Our Class Dojo page will be updated regularly with messages, dojo points and photos of what we have been up to. Homework will be given on Fridays each week and will need to be handed in the following Wednesday. We use a Homework Menu with a selection of tasks for you to choose from which are linked to our school learning.

#### PE

Once our PE days have been confirmed, we will let you know when these are; we will have one indoor and one outdoor slot. Please ensure your PE kit is in school (hung on your peg) every day. You will sometimes need wellies as we use the Wild Area for learning, but we will let you know about this in advance.

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## **Areas of Learning**



#### **Autumn Term**

Our learning will cover Living Things in Science, our Geography learning question is 'Where does our food come from?' and in History, we will learn about the Stone Age to Iron Age period. We will also be reading Krindlekrax as our class novel.

#### Spring/Summer

In Spring term, our learning moves onto Earth and Space in Science, the Arctic and Antarctic in Geography and studying The Ancient Greeks for History.

Our final term's learning will cover Plants and Technology within Science, The Romans is a great unit for History and in Geography, we will be undertaking a study of a European city; Naples in Italy. We also have other exciting texts to read with you all! In Maths, we will do Times Tables Rockstars 4 times a week to make sure we learn and are secure with our 2,3,4,5,8 and 10 times tables.





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