



Saint Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy

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Wednesday 28th June 2023

Class organisation for 2023 - 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

Following on from my previous letter, I am writing out to you with details of year group structures at Saint Mary's for next academic year. As you will have seen from my previous letter, there will be some teacher movement from September and due to class sizes, the decision has been taken to reduce the amount of classes from seven to five classes. Although some pupils will be in mixed year group classes, the class sizes will still not exceed 25 pupils, so your child will still be in a small class. There are many benefits for the pupils regarding moving forward in this way, and we are really looking forward to next academic year.

Please note that all children will work on the National Curriculum objectives for their year group, regardless of which class they are in, and the curriculum will be refined to support this new model.

Please see the table below for further details-

Year Groups	Teacher(s)
Reception/Year One	Miss Osborne and another TBC
Year Two	Mrs Barry
Year Three/Year Four	Mrs Thorne-Marsh
Year Four/Year Five	Miss Etchells
Year Six	Miss Pasiecznik

Your child will have a Teaching Assistant working in their class to support the pupils, however they will be timetabled and allocated to work with different groups of children based on need.

For children that are going to be in a mixed year group, we will be writing out to you with specific details and information about which class your child will be in next academic year.

Many thanks for your continued support and understanding. If you have any questions or require any further clarification then please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Paul Ackers
Executive Headteacher



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