



# Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery

*Learning together - enjoying success - aiming high –  
celebrating difference – enriching community*

## Transition Newsletter Summer 2025

### Moving On . . .

Transition is the experience children have when they move to a new setting, this might be a new school or a new class. Transition is an important learning experience as one of the many changes that occur in our children's lives. We recognise the importance of careful planning for children's transition experience.

Transition at Haytor View is focussed upon building strong and trusting relationships between children, adults and parents/carers, through effective communication, as well as supporting the consistent transfer of existing relationships and relevant information.

At Haytor View we support transition through a range of opportunities both across the year and as the children get closer to 'moving on'.

- Spending time in different spaces around the school;
- Meeting a range of school adults in day to day opportunities such as assembly;
- Having conversations and interactions with different children and adults;
- Having regular discussions throughout the year focused on children's well-being, learning and development;
- Teachers share with each other children's unique motivations, strengths, attitudes, skills, knowledge, understanding and learning dispositions, as they move classes;
- We think about the support each child requires

*"Strong relationships  
feature throughout the  
school."*

*"Pupils personal  
development is at the  
heart of Leaders' work."*

**Ofsted 2023**

**An opportunity for parents/carers to 'drop in' and have a chat with your child's Learning Leader for next year - Weds 23rd July 3.30pm – 4.30pm.**

In the transition process we ensure children have a voice, providing them with the opportunity to ask questions, seek explanations and express their views.

**Children will spend time new classes for the first learning session of the day on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July.**

You will know from previous letters that we are also hosting an after-school opportunity for you to catch up with your child's current teacher today **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July and Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July**

Whilst Mr Franklin is very much part of our teaching team, he is still on long term sick.

To create continuity after an unstable period for children due to staff illness across the spring and summer term, children across years 3, 4, 5 will be returning after the summer break to familiar teachers. Our aim is to ensure that your child has a smooth transition which will enable each child to continue their learning and development in a supported and uninterrupted way. Should you have any queries regarding transition please feel free to discuss them with your child's current or future teacher, or Miss Butler

Best wishes for a successful transition.

## Miss Jacob – Reception Learning Leader

Hello, I'm Miss Jacob and this will be my third year teaching in Year Reception as the Learning Leader. I am extremely excited about the upcoming year and look forward to spending time helping each member of the class continue with along their learning journey and enjoy every moment of their time at school! I love singing nursery rhymes with my class, as well as helping them learn and perform weekly poems, however a highlight for me is always seeing the class develop their skills and becoming amazing, confident readers. Outside of school, I really enjoy exploring areas around Devon, going for long beach walks and most importantly, looking after my very cheeky pet bunny rabbit named Billy! My aim at Haytor View continues to be to make sure every child feels safe and happy inside our classroom and goes home at the end of each day with a smile on their face.

## Miss Farrow – Reception Learning Partner

### School Staff Structure 2025

#### Senior Leadership Team

- Acting Headteacher **Miss Butler**
- Acting Deputy Head **Mrs Cousins**
- SENCo **Miss Shopland**
- Senior Leader – **Mr Hankins**
- Business Manger – **Mrs Brown**

#### Teaching Structure

- Nursery **Mrs Penn**( 2 days) / Miss Drennan ( 4 days) with Mrs Heeks and Mrs Gubby
- Reception **Miss Jacob** with Miss Farrow
- Year 1 **Miss Dennis** with (TA to be confirmed)
- Year 2 **Mrs Brown** with Mrs Coleman
- Year 3 **Miss Cameron** with Mrs Bunce and Miss Blank
- Year 4 **Mrs Cousins** (2days) and **Mrs Russell** (3days) with Miss Minney
- Year 5 **Miss Manley** with Mrs Pavledis
- Year 6 **Mr Hankin** with Miss Wicks