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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am now in a position to confirm staffing arrangements for the academic year 2017/18.

Firstly I would like to share some excellent internal appointments that we have made this term. Congratulations to Mrs Edwards in the Nursery, who will be taking on the new challenge and role of Nursery Room Supervisor in the 'Explorers' 2-3 year olds Nursery room.

Mrs Fleming will also enjoy a new challenge as she joins the Reception team, as a full time member of staff and Key worker, to support Miss Scott and Mrs Farrelly.

Following our recent recruitment process, I am delighted to announce that we have appointed Mrs Julie Bache as a part time Nursery Practitioner in the Pre School 'Adventurers' room. Mrs Bache has previously worked in Great Meols Primary school in their Pre-School department and brings a good deal of experience with her! We look forward to welcoming Julie to the Avalon team in September.

I am pleased to announce that from September children from Year 3 upwards will be taught Art & Design and Spanish by Mrs Bartle. We are delighted that Mrs Bartle will now work across the school as Art subject leader and I'm sure her creative talent and flair, coupled with her Fine Arts degree will lead to some exciting developments around school!

From September, Miss Fletcher will be teaching English to Year 3 and 4, whilst Mrs Brew will teach Maths to Year 3 and 4, in the same way that Mrs Kililiku and Mr Ashton teach Y5 and Y6 Maths and English.

Miss Fletcher & Miss Tweed will be sharing the Year 4 Form Tutor role. Mrs Ellsmoor will continue to teach Computing across the whole school and she will carry on with her Finance role within the Admin team.

As we look forward to welcoming new members of staff to Avalon, we sadly also bid a farewell to Mrs Williamson, who has worked across the school in a voluntary capacity supporting teaching and more recently as a part time Nursery Practitioner in the Pre-School room. We wish Lyndsey and her family the best of luck on their move to Oman and hope that they will return in the not too distant future!

As the end of this academic year is fast approaching may I take this opportunity to thank all the staff team for their hard work and dedication; I wish them all well and look forward to an exciting new academic year ahead!

My thanks also to all of you; our supportive and enthusiastic parent community. It is a privilege to work with your children and our families. I hope that you enjoy a peaceful and relaxing summer break and I look forward to seeing you all again in September.

With very best wishes

Mrs J Callaway **Headteacher** 

