



# Head's

# Update

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## Alfred Lord Tennyson School Information

Dear Parents and Carers,

For September 2023, our new Primary School will have a fantastic, dedicated team of people who will be in post at Alfred Lord Tennyson School. On Thursday 6th July and Friday 7th July, your children will meet their new class teacher and support staff and spend the day getting to know them.

### Meet the Leadership Team



Mrs O'Connor  
Headteacher



Mrs S Smith  
Assistant Headteacher/  
Year 6 Teacher



Mrs Appleby  
Inclusion Manager/  
Year 6 Teacher

### Meet the Admin Team



Mrs Pott  
School Business Manager  
Based at Alfred Street



Mrs Weir  
Administrator  
Based at Tennyson Road



Mrs Paradise  
Administrator  
Based at Alfred Street

## Meet the KS2 Teachers



Miss Shelley  
Year 3



Mrs Parker  
Year 4



Miss King  
Year 5



Mrs Smith  
Year 6



Mrs Appleby  
Year 6

## Meet the KS1 and EYFS Teachers



Mrs McCaughley  
EYFS



Mr O'Ceallaigh  
Year 1



Mr Butler  
Year 2

Mrs Smith and Mrs Appleby will be job sharing in Year 6 so that they can also be out of class and support with the leadership of the new primary school. We are delighted to welcome Mr Butler back to the school for a year. He will be joining us in a different capacity in his new role as Year 2 class teacher and will be based at our Tennyson Site. Many of you will know Mr Butler, as he worked at Alfred Street for many years and is a fantastic teacher much loved by staff, pupils and parents. We also welcome back Mrs Parker as our new Year 4 class teacher for the year. Mrs Parker is already familiar with many of the children as she has been teaching them interventions in small groups for several years at Alfred Street. She is a warm, caring, qualified teacher and will be working 4 days a week. Mrs Pearson who is currently working at Alfred Street will teach in Year 4 on a Friday. In September, we also welcome Mrs McCaughley, an experienced qualified teacher and nursery practitioner, who will be taking our EYFS class. She too will work 4 days a week and Miss Binder who currently works at the Tennyson Road Site will work with Mrs McCaughley to take the class on a Friday.

On Thursday 6th July and Friday 7th July, the children will have the opportunity to spend time in their new classes, with their new teachers, carrying out a range of activities to enable them to get to know their new teacher in preparation for September. The current Year 2 will spend two days at the Alfred Street site (see previous communication sent) and the new Reception Intake will have a 'stay and play' session on the Thursday (see previous communication sent).