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Dear Parents

Welcome to the New Year at Ormesby Village Infant School. We hope you all had a happy and peaceful Christmas break. This letter contains some important staffing information.

As you all know, Mrs Bird is expecting her baby at the beginning of February and her last day in school will be next Friday, January 11th, before she starts her maternity leave. I know you will join with us all in thanking her for working so hard with your children and in wishing her well for the birth and for the very special family time that will follow. If you would like to contribute towards her leaving gift please send in money in a clearly marked envelope as soon as possible. Many thanks.

We are delighted to welcome, as Mrs Bird's replacement, Mrs Zoe Farrell. She will work the same days as Mrs Bird, in partnership with Miss McMyllor as currently until the end of the summer term. Zoe is an experienced teacher with particular interests in Science, IT and arts and crafts. She will be in school for these two days and all next week so she has the best opportunity to get to know you and the children and the school's systems and procedures before Mrs Bird leaves. We hope she will be very happy working with us.

Unfortunately Miss Swift is still poorly and will not be able to return to work for at least another two weeks. I am sure you will join with us in wishing her a speedy recovery. We understand how unsettling it is when a class teacher is absent and in the short term we do our best to cover the class with as few supply teachers as possible. For the next two weeks the class will be covered by Mr Swift, who already knows the class and the schools from his previous employment at the junior school. We will update you as soon as we have further news on Miss Swift's health.

Finally we are delighted to welcome Miss Ripley Jones to Mrs Vaughan's class for this half term. She is on one of her teacher training placements and will be supporting and teaching in classes across the school for a few hours each week as part of her course. We look forward to working with her.

Yours sincerely

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Lucy Bates
Headteacher

