



BOWERHAM PRIMARY & NURSERY SCHOOL

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Dear parents,

I am writing to inform you that I have been asked by the local authority to support Barnacre Primary School in Longridge. After careful consideration, and consultation with staff and governors, I am going to take up the position as their Associate Headteacher. This in the first instance will be until Easter, and potentially will include the summer term.

We have decided that in order to provide support for Barnacre, I will be splitting my working week between Bowerham & Barnacre. I would like to stress that this will not affect the day-to-day running of the school; although I will be less visible around school, I will continue to lead Bowerham with the support of the senior leadership team. I have a strong team of staff who work alongside me, and, as I am sure you will agree, we have such an amazing team who will ensure Bowerham continues to thrive.

If you do have any questions or concerns at all, please contact myself, or one of my Assistant Headteachers:

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I have spoken to all the children today about Barnacre and they all agree that I need to sprinkle some Bowerham gold dust to help the children there just for a little bit of time!

I wish to reassure you that Bowerham continues to be my priority and first love.

Best wishes

Jo Banks
Headteacher

Stand tall, reach high, love learning

*The Bowerham School community is proud to nurture aspiration,
inspire love for life-long learning and prepare children for a changing
Society.*

