



# EDITH CAVELL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents

In recent whole school letters, I have explained that arrangements for Amber and Topaz class Parent Consultations need to be different to the rest of the school.

We will be delaying Parent Consultations for Amber and Topaz classes until the summer term, after the Easter holiday.

The main reason for this delay is that Mrs Lewis is away from school due to an illness at present and is likely to be on sick leave for a considerable period of time. Please be assured that Miss Pulley, Miss Cherry, Mrs Nichols, and Mrs Payne will continue to be working with your children. The school will also be securing the services of an additional experienced Early years teacher and additional Teaching Assistants to join the existing skilled, hardworking and dedicated team. It is planned that the teacher that will join the team will do so for the duration of Mrs Lewis' absence in order to provide stability and consistency for the children.

At present I cannot tell you the name of the teacher who will be joining the EYFS team, but I would hope to be able to do so next half term.

We are looking forward to welcoming all the children back to school when the government announces the full re-opening of schools, but until that time, those of you learning at home, please continue to access home learning activities via Tapestry. Further learning activities will be posted after half term and ready for learning to start again on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February.

Thank you for all that parents are doing to support their children's learning at home during this lockdown. Home learning is not easy in any circumstances, but all that you have been doing will help your child to develop, learn and practise fundamental skills, all of which will assist their learning journey and can be further built upon when they return to school fulltime.

Yours sincerely

*H. L Cooke*

