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Dear Parents/Carers,

Change to Y10 Year Co-ordinator

Sadly, we are losing Miss Deakin who is the current Y9 Year Co-ordinator. She will be going on to pastures new as of September and we wish her all the best and we know she will be missed.

We are however pleased to announce that Miss Hutchinson, who is the pastoral officer for this year group, will remain next year which will provide the much needed continuity.

We are pleased to officially welcome Mr Maxwell to the Y9 team for next year who will be the new Y9 Year Co-ordinator for this year group.

Mr Maxwell is currently a teacher of PE at Guiseley School and is looking forward to working with this year group.

Mr Maxwell knows Horsforth school well as he actually completed his teaching placement here 4 years ago so he is already familiar with the school and our systems. He is an excellent choice for this role and will be an asset to the school and pastoral team. He will monitor the academic side of school for your child and is in charge of progress data, attitude to learning and any SEND enquiries.

Miss Hutchinson as Pastoral and Behaviour Officer will continue to monitor the attendance and behaviour of our year 9 students next year and she will be the main contact for pastoral and wellbeing support, including meetings with parents. The main email for both staff is at pastoralhub@horsforthschool.org

Miss Deakin: "I will be sorry to leave such a conscientious and resilient year group behind, but I have no doubt that they will continue to thrive and do themselves, and the school, proud. I have really enjoyed getting to know the year group and I am so impressed with how they have coped through a very difficult period; I wish them all the best."

Thank you for your support on this matter.

Best wishes

Mrs S Nowell - Deputy Headteacher

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