



25 October 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

Re: English sets

I am writing to inform you that within our English Department we are reverting to 5 sets across all year groups from after October half term. Schools of our size are funded to teach in five class groups, hence five forms on entry. We have always taught in the core subjects with at least 6 sets and in some cases with a smaller nurture group as well.

We will until Christmas have 5 teaching groups in English. This decision is because Miss Black will not be returning to school after half term.

We are seeking to appoint a new member of staff for a January 2020 start, as we have been unable to source a suitable replacement within the time scale we have. This is not ideal, but rather than have supply staff in school we feel this is the best possible short-term solution.

Yours faithfully

Mr J Fletcher
Headteacher

