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Dear Parents and Carers of Naidu Class,

We are really looking forward to welcoming back all of Naidu Class on Monday 8th March. We have missed those who have been learning at home greatly, but have been really pleased to see them regularly on the live lessons.

We told the children in today's live lessons and, therefore, wanted to let you know that Mr Dack will not be teaching Naidu class on Fridays for the rest of this academic year. From this point onwards, Naidu will be in the extremely capable hands of Mrs Woodall on Fridays, continuing as she has been during this lockdown period.

Mrs Woodall, who was delivering intervention in year 6 during the Autumn term, will be in year 5 Wednesday, Thursday and Friday every week from 8th March. On Wednesdays and Thursdays, she will be delivering intervention to some year 5 pupils from all three classes; she is likely to be covering in Naidu class on Thursday afternoon when Mrs Swetman has her PPA and will then teach Naidu class on Fridays. Mrs Woodall is extremely happy about this, as she has very fond memories of this year group from when she worked with them in year 3!

Mr Dack has thoroughly enjoyed teaching in Naidu on Fridays and will miss this day with the children...he will doubtlessly keep popping in to see how things are going! However, the position we will find ourselves in for some time after this lockdown, means that it makes more sense, operationally, to make this change while we are able to.

Many thanks for your continued support and, once again, we look forward to seeing everyone on Monday 8th March.

Take care and stay safe.

Mrs Swetman, Mrs Woodall and Mr Dack