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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we prepare for the next academic year, I would like to inform you of an important change to the organisation of classes within Progression Step 2, (Years 1, 2 and 3).

Due to the number of pupils currently in our Year 1 and Year 2 cohorts, we will be organising our classes differently from September. Rather than having separate year group classes, there will be **three mixed-age Year 2 and Year 3 classes**.

This decision has been carefully considered and enables us to maintain balanced class sizes while continuing to provide high-quality teaching and learning opportunities for all pupils.

Mixed-age classes are a well-established model in many primary schools, and our curriculum is carefully planned to ensure that every child is taught according to their individual stage of learning, regardless of the year group they are in.

Our staff have significant experience in planning and delivering learning within mixed age classes and will continue to ensure that all pupils are appropriately challenged and supported to make academic progress.

We understand that parents and carers may have questions about this change, therefore please contact the school office at admin.prendergast@pembrokeshire.gov.uk

Further information regarding class allocations will be shared before the transition day which will take place on Wednesday 24th June.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership with the school.

Yours sincerely,

Louise John
Headteacher