Hello Year 2 (soon to be Year 3),

I hope you are all okay. I just wanted to send you a letter to say how excited I am to be your new teacher and to welcome you back to school in September.



I know that this year has been very different and strange for you all. Some of you have been working very hard at home on your home learning. Others of you have been working very hard in school within your 'bubbles'. I have been so impressed by all the pictures of your work that I have seen on the school website. You have all been working so hard and should be so proud of yourselves ©.

Mrs Riley has told me lots of wonderful things about you all and I am really looking forward to having a class full of such



amazing and talented children. I would like to say a huge thank you to you (and Mrs Riley) for all the lovely letters that you have sent in. Mrs Riley very kindly put them all together on a PowerPoint so that I could read them all. I really enjoyed reading them ©. It was lovely to learn lots more

about you, like what subjects you like and the things you might find a bit tricky. Thank you so much! I will show you the PowerPoint when you come back to school in September ©.

I know that some of you might be feeling a bit nervous about starting Year 3 especially because lots of you haven't been to school for a long time. I wanted to reassure you that you will have a brilliant time. There will be lots of new opportunities for you like the chance to learn a new instrument, learn some French and make your First Holy Communion! Mrs Cheslin



will be our teaching assistant. She is very kind and always there to help whenever you find anything tricky. When you come back to school in September, we will be starting off the year very gently. We will go over some of the key skills that you learned in Year 1 and Year 2 and cover some of the things that you may have found tricky in your home learning. So, there is no need to worry that we will go straight in with the 'tricky' stuff straight away ©. We will also be doing lots of Art and Music and different activities just to get used to being back in school again ©.

In Year 3, we do lots of interesting topics. You will learn about the Stone Age in History, make puppets in D&T and learn about the glass artist Dale Chihuly in Art. After reading your letters, I know that lots of you really enjoy Art. Take a look at this picture of one of Dale Chihuly's amazing sculptures – made entirely out of glass! In Science, we will be learning lots about magnets and rocks and we will even have a go at making our own rocks out of chocolate!



I hope that you and your families enjoy the summer holidays. I can't wait to see you all in September and be your teacher \odot .

Lots of love,

Míss Robertson xxxxx

