



Hello

It is just Mrs Fagan and I'm writing this letter to share some exciting news with you. Next year when you are in our morning Nursery, our class will be called Class 1 and have Nursery and Reception children in it all working together! There will be lots of friends that you already know, and some new friends too! I will be asking you to help me to show our new friends around our class and our lovely Early Years garden, and I know you will be super at this.

Just so you have a reminder about me over the summer, I will tell a few things that I like to do—as you know, I love stories! I love to read stories using funny voices. I love to tell stories and to act them out with puppets or with the children in my class. I love how stories help us to use our imagination, and I love using that imagination to make more stories of our own! I love to play outdoors in the fresh air exploring, and I love to solve puzzles and draw and paint indoors. In fact there isn't anything I do not enjoy doing at school—except maybe washing up!

Here are some of the fun things that we will continue to do in our class next year—we will share stories together and write about them. We will help you to become a reader and writer too. We will sing songs together and have lots of dancing fun! We will enjoy messy play, exploring different textures and mixing funny things together to see what happens and how they change. We will draw, paint and create in Early Years and use boxes to make models. We will continue to enjoy lots of outdoor games too, playing with the diggers in the boulder box or rolling the hula hoops around our playground. We will find out about our world and go on adventures in our outdoor area, making dens and obstacle courses. We will use our maths areas to explore numbers and shapes and become amazing mathematicians! We are going to be so busy! I'm sure you will love continuing being in our Early Years unit and part of Class 1 and I can't wait to see you after the summer.

If you want to find out more information about me and what happens in class, then follow the link and click on our class. <https://www.southstanley-inf.durham.sch.uk/new-classes-2021-2022/>

I look forward to seeing you again in September.

From Mrs Fagan

