

The Federation of Gedney Hill CoE and Shepeau Stow Primary Schools



Our Vision is to ignite imagination and curiosity which builds an enduring passion for life-long learning

25th May 2022

Dear Parents

As many of you are already aware I will soon be taking compassionate leave of absence. My husband is about to undergo major surgery, booked for 30th May. During this time, I will be needed at home. From Thursday I will not be available – we have to self-isolate. Julie Barmby will be in school as Acting Executive Headteacher across the federation. It is envisaged that I will be off for around a week, after we return in June, depending on how he is recovering. This will then be followed later on by another course of chemotherapy when I will need to drive and collect to and from appointments.

I know that both schools are in very safe hands with Mrs Barmby and strong teams on both sites. Should you need to contact school please use the following email addresses;

Absences, school collection, school meals and general enquiries should go to either Colette.ladley@shepeaustow.lincs.sch.uk or Julie.belton@gedney-hill.lincs.sch.uk

Anything else should go to Julie.barmby@shepeaustow.lincs.sch.uk or Julie.barmby@gedney-hill.lincs.sch.uk

You will be updated with any changes with contact information after the half term break by either myself or Mrs Barmby.

Mrs Barmby will be overseeing the exciting party days coming up at both schools and giving out the gifts from PTFA and school. I am looking forward to seeing lots of photos.

Have a lovely half term holiday. I hope you get to enjoy all the Jubilee celebrations happening during that period.

Yours sincerely

Alison Buddle

Executive Headteacher