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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to Cotherstone Primary School.

My name is Miss Jennie Lee and I am the Key Stage 1 class teacher. I have the very lucky and rewarding job of teaching Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 all in the same classroom. We have a fantastic outdoor area which complements our learning indoors and enhances all areas of development.

When I am not teaching, I enjoy spending time with my two beautiful children called Jake, 7 and Isla, 4. We have a small holding where we keep a number of sheep, hens and geese.

I am also a 5th Dan Taekwondo Instructor and teach the sport twice a week to children aged from 6 years through to adults. I have visited South Korea three times and enjoyed teaching English there to a number of kindergartens, learning Taekwondo from the experts and living with a Korean family one summer.



In our class we have a full-time teaching assistant, Mrs Murtagh. Here is some more information from Mrs Murtagh.

Hello, my name is Carolyn Murtagh, here is a little bit about myself. I love guinea pigs and have several of them, I like to spend time making exciting play areas for them and





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then watch them run around exploring. I enjoy swimming and line dancing and am a member of a field archery club. I like to be outdoors as much as possible and try to appreciate the beautiful place we live in. Looking forward to seeing you all as soon as possible. From Mrs Murtagh



We look forward greatly to welcoming your child to our school to enjoy the fun activities we have on offer. We will arrange visits to the class as soon as we are able and will send out in June a transition booklet with more information about starting school and also a pack for your child to complete.

Any queries at all, please contact me through the school email.

Warmest wishes,

Miss Lee

