



# Belleville Wix Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers,

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## **Re: Bilingual Stream Provision**

Last night we were informed that teaching on site for French-registered pupils would end from this evening. Parents of French-registered pupils were informed of this decision last night, as I am sure many of you know.

Pupils in the Bilingual Stream who are registered with BWA, however, are still expected to be in school every day, unless informed otherwise.

This pandemic is uncharted territory for all of us. We are working hard to follow the government agencies' advice and thank you for your cooperation. In order to provide your child's education in the light of the French school no longer teaching on site, the following arrangements have been put in place for our BWA-registered bilingual stream children from tomorrow. If there is anything you are unclear about, please do speak with the BWA teacher at the end of the day, in the first instance.

- Pupils will be taught by BWA staff. See teacher allocation in the table below. You will notice that we have joined some year groups together.
- Work will primarily be based on the English curriculum.
- From Wednesday, the work French teachers set for French-registered pupils being educated offsite will be given to English registered pupils during the week.
- No homework will be set for the pupils.
- Should BWA close, then work will be set for the pupils in each bilingual class by the French and English teacher.

Class	Teacher	Classroom	Drop off – 8:30 start	End of day collection
RB	Miss Chapman	RB	RB	RB
1B	Miss Chapman	RB	RB	RB
2B	Miss Bevin	Yr 2 English	Main staircase	Yr 2 (English) line.
3B	Miss Stuart	3B	Main staircase	Yr 3B line.
4B	Mrs Marlow Mon – Wed Miss Stuart Thur & Friday	4B	Main staircase	Yr 4B line, then Yr 3B line on Thur & Fri.
5B	Mr Millington	5B	Main staircase	Yr 5B line.
6B	Mr Gale	6B	Main staircase	Yr 6B line.

Parents with pupils in Reception Bilingual had a scheduled parent teacher gathering for tomorrow. This has been postponed. I do apologise in advance for any inconvenience caused.

Thank you for your support and understanding during this period of uncertainty for us all. If there is anything you feel we should be doing that we are not, please do not hesitate to get in contact.

Yours sincerely,

Seana Henry