

St Mary Magdalene C of E Primary School



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Dear Parents

I am delighted to be able to write my first letter as the new Head Teacher of St Mary Magdalene C of E Primary School. I feel privileged to be joining your learning community.

Being a mother of two teenage girls, I am aware of the great trust placed in us as teachers to develop our young people through outstanding Teaching and Learning, in its broadest sense.

Since my appointment I have visited the school, met with teachers, support staff, children and parents.

This is the beginning of a very exciting time in school as we continue to sustain and build upon the excellent progress and achievements.

We have had two very successful training days and as a result of the discussions we will be looking at two key areas this term :-

- The school environment
- Achievement and Behaviour

These were areas identified by all stakeholders on the School Improvement Day in June.

As a Christian myself, my values mirror those of St Mary Magdalene. People are worth spending time with and acknowledging the uniqueness of each child in school is something we all strive for. It is our uniqueness that makes the world a great place to be.

The children looked so smart in their uniforms today, let us hope that there are not too many scuffs on shoes by Friday!

We will be sending out dates, information etc. as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully

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