

4th June 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are at that time of year when information regarding staffing for September 2025 has been finalised and can be shared with parents and carers.

Miss Weir will be leaving St Joseph's at the end of this academic year. She has made the decision to step out of teaching. Miss Weir has been an outstanding teacher and her calm, patient manner and skills will be greatly missed.

I am delighted to share with you that Miss Butterfield has secured the position of Headteacher at Saint Mary's, Congleton. This is truly well-deserved. Miss Butterfield will take up the post immediately for 3 days a week and then will leave St Joseph's at the end of this academic year to begin the full time position. Miss Butterfield will be dearly missed by the whole St Joseph's community, and I know that St Joseph's will always hold a special place in her heart.

This means that we will have new staff joining our family in September. Two new experienced teachers, Claire Pepper and Josephine Clarke, will join the team and they are both very excited to be joining St Joseph's.

The staffing for September will be as follows:

Sophie Howard	Nursery
Nicola King	Reception
Emma Bryan	Reception
Alexandria Williamson	Year 1
Rebecca Di Vito	Year 1/2
Claire Pepper	Year 2
Adele Whitehead	Year 3
Lizzie Bennett	Year 3/4
Josephine Clarke	Year 4
Alexander Sutton	Year 5
Claire Bennett	Year 5/6
Jeanne Raymond	Year 6
Melanie Burkey	Resource Provision
Jake Ellam	Class Cover and PPA

We are yet to finalise the classes for children and this will be communicated to parents in due course.

Thank you for your continued support.

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