

25th February 2022

Dear Parents,

Mrs Armstrong:

We will be welcoming Mrs Armstrong, as the new Executive Headteacher, to St Mary & St Peter Primary on Tuesday of next week. She is very much looking forward to starting here and working with your children. An exciting time, both for her and for the school. I am sure that you will join me in welcoming Mrs Armstrong and wishing her well.

As Mrs Armstrong starts on Tuesday, my last day as Interim Headteacher will be Monday, though I will meet with her on Tuesday morning as part of the 'handing over' process. I have thoroughly enjoyed my second period as Headteacher at St Mary & St Peter. It has been a pleasure working both with your children and the members of staff. Thank you for your support this term and for making me so welcome, St Mary & St Peter is a lovely school and you should be proud of the way in which your children work hard and play such a full part in its community.

e-Safety:

May I remind you about the 'Staying Safe Online' section of our website. There is a lot of information about how to keep your children safe.

I have also been asked to draw your attention to 'Discord', which some of the children have been heard to say that they have been using. This is totally unsuitable for primary age children, so please do not let your children use it. Information is available on the internet, should you wish to find out more.

World Book Day:

World Book day is on Thursday 3rd March. Children may come to school in non uniform or dressed as a book character. We will be having an author in school on this day to read stories to the children.

School App:

There are still several parents who have not yet signed up to our Jigsaw communication app. All school information, dates, etc are put on this app. The app can be downloaded as follows :-

1. Search your app store on your phone for Jigsaw School app and then download it
2. Select your school from the list of schools that you can see when the app first opens. The app will remember this and you won't have to do it again.

If you choose the wrong school, simply click on the settings icon which will appear at the top of the page and select Change organisation.

All school information is either sent to you via email or the app so it is vital that we have up to date email addresses for everyone as well. If you change your email please let the school office know.

Thank you again for making me so welcome since January.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

A.S. Williams

Alan Williams
Interim Headteacher

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