



# Whitchurch Church of England Primary School

29<sup>th</sup> August 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

I am extremely excited to write my first communication to you as the headteacher of Whitchurch CE Primary School. I hope you have all had a wonderful summer break and had the chance to spend some quality time together as a family. I am sure your children are as excited as you are for them to return to school, and I can't wait to see them again.

As a school leader, I truly believe that communication is vital. I have an open and honest approach, and from me, you will have a leader that listens and actively seeks the opinions of those in the school community. Being visible and available is important, so you will see me out and about - especially at key transition times. Please do come and say hello and introduce yourself.

I aim to spend the next few months getting to know the school inside and out. I know there will be a lot of great things already happening, alongside some wonderful traditions and routines that we need to maintain. However, change also brings opportunities and I would like to hear your views on how we can continue to lead this school forward.

If you can find the time to complete the following survey, it will help me identify what we are already doing well and possibly areas we could look to improve. <https://forms.office.com/e/eQefd5hQne>

In addition to this, we would like to offer a tea and coffee morning on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> September at 9am, where myself, Mrs Dunwell (Deputy Headteacher), Mr May (SENCO) and Mrs Levens (Family Link Worker) will all be present. This will be an informal morning with hot drinks and cake where you can come in and introduce yourself and have a catch up. If you would like to attend please email [replies@whitchurch.hants.sch.uk](mailto:replies@whitchurch.hants.sch.uk)

I look forward to seeing you all on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September. I hope you enjoy the rest of the holidays.

Kind regards

David Ware  
Headteacher

