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ST. ANDREW'S CE (VA) INFANT & JUNIOR SCHOOLS

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to inform you of an important change in the leadership of St Andrew's CE (VA) Infant and Junior Schools.

Earlier this year, I communicated my plans to leave St Andrew's in December 2025, as I had made plans to emigrate to Australia. However, due to recent opportunities, I will now be leaving at the end of the summer term this year.

I would like to express my sincere gratitude for the unwavering support and warm wishes I have received from our school community during this difficult decision. Your kindness and understanding have been truly appreciated.

It is with great pleasure that I can now introduce you to our new Executive Headteacher, Mrs C Palmer. Mrs Palmer brings a wealth of experience, having served as a headteacher for many years and also as an Education Advisor for Bradford Local Authority. I am confident that she shares the core values of our school and will continue to drive St Andrew's forward, taking the school from strength to strength.

Over the next half term, I will be working closely with Mrs Palmer to ensure a smooth transition and handover of responsibilities. This will allow her to become fully acquainted with the school, its pupils, and the community we serve.

I am certain that Mrs Palmer will be a dedicated and effective leader, and I have no doubt that she will build upon the strong foundations we have established at St Andrew's. I kindly ask that you extend the same level of support and cooperation to her as you have shown to me during my time here.

Yours sincerely,

Amanda Jocelyn
Executive Headteacher



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