



Headteacher: Mrs. Sharon Chinnappa B.Sc. (Hons) M.Ed. NPQH

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From: The Chair of Governors

Dear Parents/Carers

I write to inform you, on behalf of the Governing Body, that after four very successful years, Mrs Chinnappa will leave Prospect School at the end of the summer term. This in order to take up a role as Headteacher of a school in the north of the county. We are sure that she will enrich her new school. As Chair of Governors I am very aware how difficult this decision has been for Sharon, given her commitment to Prospect students, parents/carers and staff.

While we are extremely sad to lose our inspirational Headteacher, we congratulate Sharon on her success in being appointed to her new position and wish her every success in the future.

Since her appointment in 2016, Sharon has put her own mark on our school to build on the existing strengths, particularly in terms of the academic aspects, while maintaining a successful and caring pastoral approach. Her focus has always been on finding new ways to take the school forward.

Sharon has worked tirelessly and will leave Prospect in an excellent position from which to build for further success.

As a Governing Body, we must now start the vital task of appointing a new Headteacher. Given the present situation, this cannot begin as soon as we would have wished and so have put in place a plan to maintain the efficient running of the school until the situation is much clearer.

The plan will have to be agreed with the Governing Body and I look forward to contacting you again when this has been achieved.

We have been delighted to read the very positive feedback from our Futures Days, which have reflected the excellent relationship between school and parents/carers.

We are sure that you will welcome and support our new Headteacher

Please look after yourself in these very challenging times. We look forward to welcoming students back to Prospect as soon as we are able.

Yours sincerely,

J. McElhinney
Chair of Governors