



# Thurton

Church of England VC Primary School



4 May 2016

Dear Parents/Carers of children at Thurton School

As you know Mrs Williams will be leaving us at the end of this term to take up an appointment in Suffolk in September. We are delighted that her talents have been recognised for this prestigious appointment but, at the same time, will be sorry to see her leave us when she has been such an inspiration to everyone associated with the school.

The Full Governing Body met last night, 3 May 2016, and formally accepted Mrs Williams' resignation. At the same time we offered Mr Barber, our current Deputy Headteacher, the post of Acting Headteacher which he has accepted. We also offered Mrs Scorey the post of Acting Deputy Headteacher which, again, she has accepted.

Mr Barber and Mrs Scorey have the full support of Thurton governors and I am sure you will support them as well. The governors have made these appointments to ensure the continuing smooth running and stability of our school. Today an advertisement has been placed for a class teacher to join us in September which will add to the teaching staff and cover teaching time as required.

As you may know we are being directed by government to make the school more secure by either federating, partnering or joining an Academy trust. The governors will be looking at all aspects of securing the future of Thurton school and will keep you informed when we have any further news.

Yours

Mrs Maggie Coe  
Chair of Thurton VCP School Governors  
And on behalf of the Full Governing Body

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