

# St Martin's C of E Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to you to confirm the arrangements going forward from September 2021 as Miss Bott leaves St. Martin's CofE Primary School.

Firstly, I would like to thank Miss Bott for the amazing service she has given to our school. She has been totally committed to the pupils, parents and staff, wanting only the very best for the children. During the last Ofsted, the Inspector commented that "The headteacher lives the school's vision"- I don't think there can be any higher praise than that, since the vision and ethos of the school is what makes it so special.

I'm sure you will join me in wishing Miss Bott the very best as she begins a new chapter at Newman University.

A new headteacher has now been appointed, and will start in January 2022. His name is Mr. Matthew Seex, and he joins us from a school in Birmingham. He was impressed with St. Martin's from the moment he came through the doors, and is very excited to be joining the team.

For the autumn term, the school will be led by Mrs Lees as Acting Headteacher. I know that you will be pleased to know this, as you will rest assured that the school will be in very safe hands. Mrs Harvey-Jones will be Acting Deputy Headteacher during this term.

I hope you all have an enjoyable summer as the children break up, and that by September, school will be able to return to normal, so that the children can have the settled and exciting learning opportunities they are entitled to.

Sending my best wishes for the future,

Vicki Kavanagh (Chair of Governors)

