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Dear Parents and Carers

STAFFING UPDATE

As you know I have been managing both St Mary's RC Primary and St Andrew's RC Primary in a Shared Headship arrangement since February 2018. Unfortunately it has not been possible to fill the Headteacher Vacancy at St Andrew's RC Primary School despite numerous attempts to recruit. You may be aware that this is a wider issue nationally too.

I have agreed to continue in the Shared Headship of both schools next session 2019-2020 but on a different management model to allow me to be at St Mary's more and manage the move to our new school.

From August 2019, Miss Murphy will return to her substantive post as PT at St Andrew's. Mrs Macaulay will continue as acting Depute Headteacher at St Mary's and I will be at St Mary's for most of the week from October 2019.

Details of Class Teachers for next session will be issued with the school reports on Monday 24th June.

Thank you for your support of Mrs Macaulay this year as she led St Mary's. I am sure you will join me in thanking Miss Murphy for helping us out this year at St Mary's, and we wish her well as she return to St Andrew's as Mrs Graham following her wedding in the summer.

Thank you in anticipation of your support as we move into a new chapter for St Mary's RC Primary next session.

Liz Laird Headteacher