

4th October 2022

Headteacher Appointment

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that you and your families are all well.

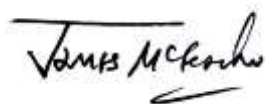
As you will be aware, after 6 years of dedicated service to St Patrick's Catholic Primary School as Headteacher, Mrs Lane will be leaving at the end of this term to take up a new role as Director of Performance and Standards within our Trust, the Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Multi-Academy Trust. In this role she will be working with schools across the Academy Trust to support the headteachers and staff in providing outstanding Catholic education for all our pupils.

This week we have been engaged in a recruitment process to appoint a new Headteacher. This is a crucial appointment for the school and I am delighted to announce that, following a rigorous interview process, Miss Luisa Ferrara has been appointed as the new Headteacher at St Patrick's.

Miss Ferrara is an experienced and talented Catholic leader. She has been joint Headteacher at Blessed Robert Widmerpool, in Clifton, for a number of years and during this term has also been providing Headteacher support to one of our schools in Lincolnshire.

She performed to a high standard in all areas of the process and I am sure she will work passionately to ensure that all the children at St Patrick's receive an outstanding Catholic education. Miss Ferrara will be joining St Patrick's community, leading the school, from 1st January 2023.

Yours sincerely,



James McGeachie
CEO, Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Multi-Academy Trust

