



19<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Dear All,

Last term we wrote to inform you that from September, when St. Joseph's has officially joined the Xavier Catholic Education Trust, Mrs Lawlor will become Executive Headteacher of both St. Joseph's and St. Francis in Caterham. As promised in the last letter, we are now writing to confirm the appointment of Thomas Hall as our new Head of School at St. Joseph's.

Mr Hall is currently Head of School at St. Cuthbert Mayne in Cranleigh, an existing Xavier school. St. Cuthbert Mayne has gone from strength to strength under his leadership and we're really excited about the prospect of him stepping up to take on this new challenge at St. Joseph's. Following his recent interview and given his track record we are confident that the school will flourish under his leadership as he builds on all that has already been achieved by Mrs Lawlor and the team in recent years.

Mr Hall will be working closely with Mrs Lawlor, governors, and members of the Xavier central team to ensure a smooth handover in the coming term, and we look forward to the excellent service he will no doubt give to the St. Joseph's school community in the coming years.

Please join us in congratulating Mr Hall on his appointment, supporting him in his work and praying for his vocation.

Yours sincerely,

James Kibble  
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Chair of Governors  
St. Joseph's RC Primary School