



St. Alban & St. Stephen Catholic Primary School & Nursery



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Dear Parents and Carers,

It is so good to be writing to you from a school full of children and staff! Monday was a very special day indeed having our school community back together again. We have two very busy weeks with so much to fit in before our Easter break begins!

It was great to see so many of you join the PTA quiz on Friday evening. What a super night was had by all, even though the teacher's team didn't win!!!! A big thank you goes to the PTA for organising such a fun event.

On other news, we have a few staff changes this term that I'd like to share with you. We say goodbye to Miss Clare McFlynn who from May 2019 until January 2021 was our Executive Head and has continued to support our school until the end of this Spring term. Miss McFlynn supported the governors with the amalgamation of the two schools, setting up the leadership team and putting structures in place to further school improvement. Her role was a significant one and we thank her for all she has contributed to St. Alban and St. Stephen during her time with us.

We also say goodbye to Miss Nicolaou, our Year 4 teacher who is relocating at Easter. Although she has been with us just a short while, we are very thankful for all she has done to support our children in Year 4 during a very challenging time.

Mrs Doherty, our computing support member of staff, is retiring after 14 years at the Infant school and more recently, the amalgamated school. She has demonstrated such a love of computing and interested and excited our young children with her lessons. Mrs Allen, one of our valued teaching assistants, is leaving to take up a promotion as a nursery manager. Ms Taran, a member of our Extended School team, is also relocating at Easter.

We thank each and every one for their hard work and dedication to our school. It is always sad to see staff leave but I'm sure you will join me in wishing them every happiness and success in whatever path they take moving forward.

I look forward to seeing many of you now at the school gates each morning. It is so great to see the happy, smiling faces – children and parents!!! May the lovely early Spring weather continue so we can have the children out and about enjoying our extensive school grounds and the great outdoors.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Moore