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Dear Parents & Carers,

We are absolutely delighted to inform you that the Governors have appointed our new Headteacher after a thorough and rewarding recruitment process. The quality and rigour of our approach to recruitment was commented on by our external advisers.

The calibre and experience of those who applied for the position was high and the number of applicants surprised our advisers, who are used to looking at an average of only one or two applications per school. We are delighted with the decision made between the Governing Body, Diocese and the Local Authority.

Our new Headteacher will be Mr Richard Catchpole and he is able to join us from the start of our new school year in September. Mr Catchpole is an experienced Headteacher; this will be his third headship as he joins us from St Paul's CE (Aided) Primary School in Dorking. We are sure that you will join us in wishing the St Paul's school and church community well as they search for a Headteacher for their own school.

We are grateful for the support we have received from all members of the school staff and the children who participated in the selection process.

Please continue your support and prayer for Miss Holmes, all the staff and now also for Mr Catchpole as we look forward to an exciting future for our school.

Yours faithfully

Dr Javier Bajer  
Chair of Busbridge CE (Aided) Junior School Governing Body

