



HENLEY BANK HIGH SCHOOL

20 March 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

Further to my letter announcing Mr Nash's departure I am writing to inform you that we have now completed the process to appoint a new Headteacher for Henley Bank High School

It was the commitment of The Board of Trustees and Local Governing Body to move swiftly through the process of recruitment so that we could ensure as much time as possible was available for a handover between Mr Nash and the new Headteacher. We want this to be as smooth a transition as possible.

On behalf of the Local Governing Body, I am therefore delighted to appoint Mr Stephen Derry as the new Headteacher of our school. Some of you may be familiar with Mr Derry as he has been a member of staff at the Greenshaw Learning Trust since 2018, most recently as Deputy Headteacher, and as Acting Headteacher, at Five Acres High School

Mr Derry has been doing an excellent job as Acting Headteacher at Five Acres and we feel confident he will be an exceptional Headteacher here. He has the skills and qualities Henley Bank needs to continue on its journey of improvement. His post commences on 01 September 2020, and I hope there will be opportunities for you to meet him before then and welcome him to our community.

I would like to thank you for your continued support

With best wishes,

Lloyd Warren
Chair of the Local Governing Body, Henley Bank High School

