



# Cardinal Newman Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents, Guardians and staff,

We have reached the end of another school year and it is time to say farewell to our Year 6 children, who move onto the next step in their education and new adventures. We also say goodbye to Miss Ward and Mrs Bertram. We wish all our leavers success in their new paths.

As Governors, in our visits and meetings throughout this school year we have seen how hard all the children and staff have been working and the strong SATS results confirm this, along with positive reports from external reviews and audits throughout the year. Well done to everyone! It has been lovely to see all the children in school demonstrating their skills and learning and to feel the enthusiasm and energy in the classrooms. The governors would like to thank Mrs Burnham and all her staff for their hard work and commitment to achieve the best for all the children in our school.

We would like to thank the PA members for their support to the school, providing much needed extra funding. Everything the PA does benefits the whole school community, and we'd especially like to thank the new PA committee for volunteering to carry on this important role.

Thank you to everyone who has set up regular donations or made a one off donation this year to our Governors Fund through CAF Donate. Your support helps us to provide important school enhancements which benefit the children and their learning. The Reception playground area was upgraded at the start of this year and the Year1 playground is being upgraded over the summer holidays. If any families haven't set up a regular contribution to the governors fund yet (£10 a month or your chosen amount) and are able to, donations are collected online via CAFDonate and the link is in the weekly school newsletter.

The governors would like to thank you as parents and carers for all the time you give to the school through helping your children with school activities and coming to school events. Your support is highly valued.

I and the rest of the governors wish you all a very happy and relaxing summer holiday and look forward to welcoming all the children back next term when our new leadership structure will be in place with Mrs Burnham as Executive Headteacher and Mr Flower as Head of School with Mr Joice and Mrs Rivans as Assistant Head Teachers.

Yours faithfully,

Sarah Rice  
Chair of Governors