

## St John Vianney Catholic Primary School

St John Vianney Catholic Primary School provides a welcoming, caring environment with strong faith values. Often complemented by visitors for the "feel" of our school, this is something intangible which must be experienced to be fully understood. Our culture is driven and reinforced by our senior leaders through all staff, based on our shared vision for our school.

The schools mission statement is "We welcome everybody to our school and take care of them like Jesus did. We celebrate our talents and help each other to be the best person we can be. We learn with our school, our home, our parish and our community to prepare for the best future we could have."

We seek a strong Headteacher to compliment and support our school. As Headteacher, you will share responsibility for continuing and promoting our vision and values through your daily duties, leading by example.

We measure our success not only on the quantitative results of our pupils, but also on the positive impact we have on their emotional wellbeing and development. To support this, we have created a dedicated pastoral resource and we strive to ensure that pupil welfare and happiness are at the heart of all we do. We have some exciting new projects to deliver, including establishing our forest school, which will further improve our pupil experience.

Our pupils represent a diverse cross section of our local community and all are nurtured in accordance with our ethos of inclusion. Our friendly staff are a close knit team who happily work hard to ensure best outcomes and progress, irrespective of individual pupil ability or circumstances. Our teaching staff are fully supported by a large cadre of teaching assistants, including one to one support for pupils where required.

The post of Headteacher in our school will provide significant opportunity for your professional development, with the requirement to take ownership of key areas and implement strategies to drive improvement. Working closely with the senior management team and governing body, you will play an important role in evolving the school, delivering continued improvement whilst retaining those important qualities which make it exceptional.

This is a significant responsibility, however if you are prepared to accept this challenge, you will have the full support of the governing body. In my opinion, there is no more rewarding and privileged experience, than to provide education, care and guidance to our pupils. Please feel welcome to arrange a visit to experience first hand what we can offer.

**Chris Johnson** 

Chair of Governors

