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Dear staff, parents/carers and children,

I have the pleasure of announcing Ms Catherine Whitehead as the next Headteacher of Mersey Vale Primary School, following a full and robust application and interview process led by the governing body and supported by Stockport Council. Ms Whitehead began teaching at Mersey Vale in 2004 as a newly qualified teacher. Over her 16 years at the school she has developed an excellent track record as both a classroom teacher and subject leader. As Assistant Headteacher since 2013 she has led numerous school improvement targets helping Mersey Vale to further develop.

Ms Whitehead will begin as Headteacher from Monday 12th of April 2021. This is exciting time for the school and I'm sure you will all join me in supporting Ms Whitehead in leading Mersey Vale forwards as we enter this new chapter for the school.

Staffing plans, including any required recruitment, will commence in the new year and details will follow regarding class teachers from Summer term 2021 onwards.

I hope that you all have a lovely Christmas holiday and that you and your families stay safe and well.

Yours faithfully

Dr William Goundry
Chair of Governors
Mersey Vale Primary School

