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Dear Parents and Carers,

I'm delighted to introduce myself as the new Headteacher of St Erth Primary School, beginning this September. It's a real privilege to join such a warm and vibrant school community, and I'm excited about the opportunity to lead the next chapter of the school's journey.

As a parent of two children, I understand how important it is that school feels like a safe, welcoming place where children are happy and inspired to thrive. That same belief underpins my approach as a school leader: every child deserves to feel valued, supported, and challenged to reach their potential—academically, socially, and emotionally.

I bring over two decades of experience in education, having worked in a variety of settings, from small rural schools to larger primaries, and I've also spent time as an adviser with the local authority. Most recently, I've been Assistant Headteacher at Heamoor Primary, where I've had the pleasure of working alongside a passionate team committed to children's growth and wellbeing.

During my visit to St Erth as part of the interview process, I was struck by the energy, kindness, and enthusiasm of the pupils and staff. It's clear that this is a special place, and I feel very lucky to be joining a school with such strong foundations.

I'm committed to providing children with rich, engaging learning experiences that ignite curiosity and creativity. Just as importantly, I believe that strong relationships with children, staff, and families are the key to a successful school. I look forward to building these partnerships and working together to create a nurturing, inclusive environment where every child can flourish.

I'm really looking forward to getting to know you all in the months ahead.

With warmest wishes,

Mrs Joanne Bradbury



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