



Date: 03rd November 2016

Dear Parent/Carer,

Principal Appointment

On behalf of the One In A Million Trust and Governing Body, I am pleased to inform you that we have appointed a new Principal, Mr Philip Grant, formerly of Whitehaven Academy, Cumbria.

The recruitment process has been thorough and rigorous at every level, which included two rounds of advertising with over twenty applications being received during both occasions. Governors were relentless in looking for a Principal to build on the schools strengths, uphold its vision and values, bring a scrupulous approach to school improvement and bring strategic leadership for the schools future growth. In Mr Grant, we believe we have found such a person.

Mr Grant has accepted the position and will start on 1st January 2017. He will be visiting the school over the coming weeks to ensure a smooth transition.

We will contact you at the beginning of the New Year to invite you to a 'meet the principal' open evening where you will have the opportunity to meet with Mr Grant - parental engagement is something he is very passionate about in his schools.

Mr Stockill will be continuing in his role before retiring from education on 31st December 2016.

I would like to thank all the staff, students and One In A Million Trust who contributed to the process of recruiting our new Principal.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Hughes".

Mark Hughes
Chair of Governors

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