

LONDON MEED PRIMARY SCHOOL

BRAVERY, COMMUNITY, CURIOSITY, RESILIENCE, RESPECT

3rd March 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

On 2nd and 3rd March your Governing Body conducted a two day recruitment process to appoint a permanent Head Teacher. The recruitment panel consisted of governors representing staff, parents and the wider school community and we were supported by two Local Authority Advisors.

We are delighted to announce that our new Head Teacher will be Mrs Natalie Langtree who has been our Acting Head Teacher since October 2019.

This key appointment will enable the school to move forward with certainty as it continues to deliver the improvements required to provide all our pupils with the quality education they deserve.

It is a huge compliment to our school that we received applications from so many experienced and strong candidates who were all very keen to be our next Head Teacher.

The entire process had to be held virtually for everyone due to our COVID Risk Assessments which made it challenging. However, thanks to exceptional support from school staff, we were able to conduct a full and varied recruitment programme. I would particularly like to thank the staff members who attended the virtual staff interview sessions and the amazing Year 5 children in school this week who asked questions to all the candidates invited for interview. This was an exciting experience for our Year 5 children who lived our school values by demonstrating their Bravery and Curiosity by asking some fantastic questions. I would also like to thank Mrs Brayne whose planning and technical skills ensured that the two days ran smoothly.

Mrs Langtree is looking forward to welcoming children back to school from 8th March and will be writing to you shortly to outline her exciting plans for the future at our school which she will develop with her team of supportive staff.

The whole of the Governing Body are looking forward to supporting Mrs Langtree and her staff on the continued journey to become an amazing school.

Jane Davey

Chair of Governors







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