

## **St Bartholomew's C of E Primary School**

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### **Letter from the Head Boy and Head Girl on behalf of the School Council at St Bartholomew's C of E Primary School**

Thank you for showing an interest in joining our school family here at St Bart's. We are delighted that you are interested in becoming a member of our friendly community and cannot wait to meet you.

St Bartholomew's is in a prominent position in the small market town of Great Harwood, surrounded by nature in the neighbouring park and is only a few minutes' walk from the church of the same name, with which we share a special connection.

Our school is a caring and happy place where we believe that every unique child and adult has a special purpose and is given the opportunity to shine and excel. It is the kind of school where the teachers know the name of every child and where long lasting friendships are formed. We only have four school rules, which we know as the Calm School Code: to speak nicely, listen carefully, act kindly and move calmly. These rules are so simple to follow that everyone in school, from the children in nursery to those in Year 6, as well as all the adults can do so easily.

Our motto is 'Follow Jesus in all we do,' and this is reflected in our school values and the qualities we are looking for in our new Deputy Headteacher. We would like you to believe in God and the teachings of Jesus, to be compassionate, friendly and easy to talk to. It's really important to us that you are helpful, approachable and funny, but we also know that there will be times when you will need to be strict too; we don't mind this as we understand that it helps us to learn. We can guarantee that you can trust us to try our best; in return we ask that you are trustworthy too, just like all of the teachers here.

We really hope that this letter has given you a positive impression of our school and that you are looking forward to helping Mrs Irvine, the school governors, the teachers and the other adults here provide all the children with the opportunity to flourish in our happy place.

Good luck!

Freddie Campbell (Head Boy)

Eve Slater (Head Girl)

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