

Dear Parents and Carers

The Trinity Catholic School and The Becket School have been engaged in a recruitment process to appoint new Headteachers, following the promotion of the current Heads to Chief Executive Officers (CEOs) in the new Catholic Multi-Academy Trusts. The schools have worked with The Diocesan Education Service, Trust Directors and myself as CEO designate of the new Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Multi-Academy Trust, to carry out this recruitment process.

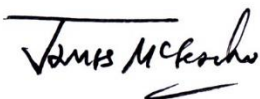
The rigorous selection process included:

- An observed Act of Worship
- Written tasks
- Interview panels on: ethos and spirituality; teaching and learning; strategic leadership; staff views and student views
- An assessed learning walk of the school
- A presentation and
- A final panel interview

Following the two days of interviews, the panel of Directors and Governors has appointed Mr Matt Shenton to be Headteacher at The Trinity Catholic School and Mr Paul Greig to be Headteacher at The Becket School. They will take up their positions on 1st September 2018.

Taking into consideration the individual needs of the two schools and the qualities of the two candidates, we are thrilled that both schools have been able to appoint such outstanding candidates to lead our wonderful schools.

Yours sincerely,



James McGeachie
CEO Designate, Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Multi-Academy Trust