



At our school we aim to inspire our church school family to learn earnestly, care deeply, grow boldly and find joy in the journey nourished by faith, friendship, aspiration and love.
"I have told you this so my joy may be in you" (John 15:11)

January 2026

Welcome from the Chair of Governors

Dear Candidate,

Thank you for your interest in the post of Deputy Head teacher at St Francis Church of England Primary School, I would like to welcome you to our school on behalf of the children, staff and the Governing Board.

St Francis School is a Church of England school, that is committed to the best possible outcomes for children, this deputy head teacher post will support in leading the school in its pursuit of excellence and foster the great work that has been undertaken over the last few years in order to achieve its ambitions.

With a team of dedicated and committed staff, we are looking for someone to fulfil this role who can unlock their potential to build on the great work that has been done at this school to enable our full potential to be reached.

The Governing Board itself is made up of a dedicated group of diverse individuals who bring a range of skills and experience to support the strategic direction of the school, ensuring that strong relationships are in place to continue to drive forward our plans for improvement to ensure the best outcomes for our children.

Crucially though, the Governing Board is a team and our role is very much about us working together to help achieve the vision, values and strategic objectives of the school which will continue to make St Francis School a great place to work and learn.

I would encourage you to look round our amazing school so do please come and visit us if you want to know more. Should you decide to pursue your application, I look forward to meeting with you.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Nicola Duffy
Chair of Governors
On behalf of St Francis C of E Governing Board