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Dear Parents, Carers, Pupils and Staff

Appointment of Headteacher

The Interim Executive Board is pleased to inform you that a new Headteacher has been appointed to St Andrew and St Francis CofE Primary School with effect from next term.

Troy Sharpe joins us from St John's Highbury Vale CofE Primary School, Islington. St John's became an Outstanding school under Mr Sharpe's guidance. Ofsted reported "*The Headteacher communicates very high expectations and ambition for improving the school supported by highly skilled senior and middle leaders, resulting in significantly rising standards and improvement in the school's effectiveness*" (Ofsted 2014).

We have every confidence that Mr Sharpe will be able to lead St Andrew and St Francis CofE Primary School forward over the coming years with effective leadership to secure school development and improvement. Mr Sharpe has 16 years' experience in education and met the criteria for the selection of the Headteacher in every way.

Mr Sharpe will take up his appointment on 1st September 2015, and we wish him every success in this important position for our school and he in turn looks forward to working with the whole school community.

Yours sincerely

Richard Walton
Chair, Interim Executive Board