



St. Thomas More

CATHOLIC VOLUNTARY ACADEMY

St. Thomas More Catholic Voluntary Academy, Palace Fields, Buxton, Derbyshire, SK17 6AF Headteacher: Mr D Redfern

6th December 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

You may recall I wrote to you at the start of the half-term explaining that Mr Redfern had sustained an injury during the half-term break. I am writing to you today to provide an update on Mr Redfern and plans for the interim leadership of St Thomas More.

The Trust and members of the school community remain in regular contact with Mr Redfern, he is making steady progress towards a good recovery, remaining positive and following medical advice. He has been informed that his recovery will take several months. I'm sure, like us, you will continue to keep Mr Redfern in your prayers.

Mr Redfern will not be back in school for several months so we have asked Mrs Louisa Morris to take on the role of Executive Headteacher for both schools, St Thomas More and St Philip Howard, during this period. The role will involve Mrs Morris working closely with Mr Ronson, Mrs Bennett and the newly appointed Deputy Headteacher, Mrs Lancett, to ensure pupils at St Thomas More continue to receive the best possible education, whilst working in a safe and nurturing environment.

God Bless,

Kevin Gritton

CEO of the St Ralph Sherwin Catholic Multi Academy Trust



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