

ST MAWES PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

I am writing to inform you of some exciting changes regarding the leadership structure at St Mawes. From January 2018 I will be the Executive Headteacher at St Mawes and Cusgarne School. Cusgarne joined Aspire in November and their present Headteacher is retiring. This is a really positive time for St Mawes. Cusgarne School is very similar in the way they work, only having 3 classes in the school so the collaboration will be of great benefit to the children and staff as we share opportunities and expertise.

My time will be split across the 2 schools but I will still retain responsibility and accountability for strategic school development, direction and improvement. The schools' ethos and values will continue to be upheld and safeguarding and pupil progress will remain at the heart of school development. Although I may not be in the building every day, I will be contactable by telephone or email and will still be responsible for the school. The Academy Hub partners will continue to support, challenge and monitor regularly throughout the year.

On a day to day basis, Ms Praed will be the Head of School to whom you can turn to should the need arise. She will have specific non-contact times throughout the week in order to fulfill her leadership duties but will still remain the teacher for Class 2, with Mrs Davison and sports coaches teaching in her absence.

If you wish to discuss this further then please do not hesitate to make an appointment to come and see me.

Yours sincerely

K.Middlemore

