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Dear Parents and Carers

On behalf of the Governance Team, I would like to welcome you all to a new school year at St Joseph's.

We would like to extend a special welcome to all those families who are starting their school journey with us. You will find that everyone at St Joseph's is committed to ensuring our children get off to a 'flying start'.

For those families who are returning to St Joseph's we hope you had a wonderful summer break and are looking forward to beginning another exciting year with us.

The start of a new school year is always a busy and exciting time for everyone. Mr Willcox and the staff have been working hard to prepare for the new year. You will notice some changes around the school. All of which are designed to enhance our children's experience of school life and learning.

As Governors we are very proud to be part of the wonderful school community we have at St Joseph's. Our governance responsibilities are delegated to us by Plymouth CAST Multi Academy Trust. Our tasks are designed to provide support and challenge on all areas of school life and include Safeguarding & Child Protection, RE & Catholic Life, Curriculum & Standards, SEND, Inclusion & Equality and Health & Safety & Data Protection. We are also very privileged to be able to join in the many activities and celebrations that take part in school including joining with our school and parish communities for worship and mass. For more information about our Governors and governance roles please see the school website (www.stjosephsprimaryschool.com).

We are extremely fortunate to have a great team of people in our school community who always put the education and wellbeing of our children at the heart of everything they do. All Governors are very much looking forward to working with Mr Willcox, the staff, PTA and especially you as Parents and Carers to support the children to 'Walk with Jesus to be the best they can be' throughout the coming year.

Best wishes.

Lynn Cook

Chair of Governors