

The Governors at St Mary & St Andrew's Catholic Primary School are seeking to appoint an inspirational, hardworking, practising Catholic to lead our popular and successful school.

The successful candidate will:

- be a caring, dedicated and inspiring Catholic leader who will demonstrate, promote and develop the strong ethos and mission of our school
- maintain and develop the governors' vision for the school
- have a desire to maintain and enhance existing strengths further developing inspirational and rich learning experiences across the curriculum
- have a passion to ensure every child succeeds and reaches their full potential
- demonstrate exceptional interpersonal skills and a strong commitment to teamwork
- have a work ethic that includes positivity, energy and humour
- have current pedagogical practice and knowledge
- be trauma informed.

The applicant should be highly motivated and enthusiastic, embodying our aim of developing pupils who aspire to achieve their very best in everything they do. We encourage our children to demonstrate perseverance and resilience and, as a result, to grow into confident individuals, prepared for life as fully-rounded and faithful members of modern society. The leader we are looking for will be a positive role model for our children and team of professional staff. We require a leader who will support and promote our Catholic ethos in both school and our wider community.

In Summer Term 2025 we will become part of the Lancaster Diocese Mater Ecclesiae Academy Trust which will provide the opportunity for collaborative and partnership working across our family of schools and to support innovative

In return we can offer:

- a successful, happy and welcoming school community with a positive and caring Catholic ethos
- supportive, enthusiastic and dedicated staff who are committed to enabling all pupils to achieve
- well-motivated, confident and happy pupils who are proud of their school
- a supportive, dedicated and well-informed Governing Body
- parents who value the work of the school and who support its ethos.

For further information or to arrange a visit to school please contact the Headteacher: Mrs Sarah Roach