



7th September 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you have all had a restful and enjoyable summer break. It is a real pleasure to welcome our new starters in Foundation Stage into the Buxton Infant School family and to see the Year 1s and 2s back in school. I am thrilled to be taking on the role of Interim Headteacher for this academic year and feel incredibly proud to be leading our wonderful school. As staff we are looking forward to an exciting year ahead, full of learning, creativity and opportunities for every child to shine.

You will know that at Buxton Infants, we are committed to offering every child a “Smiling Start” to their education. Our aim is simple: to work together to ensure each and every child achieves their full potential. We want our pupils to feel happy, confident and inspired, and our engaging curriculum, strong values and *Outstanding* Personal Development offer help us create a nurturing environment where children flourish.

Partnership with families is central to us being able to provide our Smiling Start. Your support, encouragement and involvement make a huge difference, and we value the strong relationships we have built with our school community. As Headteacher my door is always open and I welcome your feedback — whether you have a question, a concern or simply want to share something positive about your child’s experience.

Just a reminder that our ‘Meet the Team’ events for Y1 and Y2 are this Wednesday (9th Sept) at 3.45. This is a great chance to find out information about your child’s new year group and to meet and chat with the staff team.

Thank you for your continued support. I look forward to working closely with you throughout this year and to celebrating all the achievements, big and small, that lie ahead.

Warm regards

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