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## **Dear Parents/Carers**

It is my honour and privilege to introduce myself as the new Headteacher of Ludlow Church of England School.

It was my pleasure to welcome staff and students back after their Christmas break. I delivered introductory assemblies to students to give them the opportunity to get to know and understand me, as their new Headteacher.

Uncertainty about change is inevitable; however, the Christian values that underpin the school's vision of "Excellence together" remain unchanged.

I believe we can build a school that provides outstanding opportunities and life chances for its students. To achieve this, I will work in consultation with staff, parents and students, building on the many strengths that already exist within the school. I will issue a short online parental survey within the next week to gain your views on key areas of the school. This is your opportunity to help shape the future direction of Ludlow Church of England School.

I look forward to working in partnership with parents and the wider community to ensure that Ludlow Church of England School becomes a focal point for excellence within the town.

Yours sincerely

Mr M Burton Headteacher

