

# Beverley School

*A specialist school for children and young people with autism where staff and governors are fully committed to the safeguarding and wellbeing of our pupils*



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Dear Parents/Carers,

I am delighted and privileged to be appointed as the new Head Teacher for Beverley School, and I am very keen to get to know you all.

From my experience of working with parents of students with special educational needs, I know that a relationship based on mutual respect and open communication leads to the best outcomes for young people. I hope that I can quickly foster a relationship of trust, approachability and support with you all.

Beverley is a wonderful school and has a track record of being so for many years. My aim is to keep it this way, whilst looking at ways of furthering opportunities for our students to be successful, independent and contributing members of an inclusive society.

As school life returns to more normality, I aim to hold calendared coffee mornings, when and where possible, so we can get to know each other. I will also be outside as much as possible at the start and the end of the school day, so if you are dropping off or picking up your child, please come and say hello.

If you prefer, you are also welcome to contact me by email or phone.

I hope you continue to enjoy family time together this summer; it has been a challenging few months for everyone. I know the school staff are doing everything to make the return to school pleasurable and exciting for your child. We will keep working together and supporting each other, now and in the months ahead.

Kind regards

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