



## Abbot Beyne School

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Dear Parents and Carers

Yesterday was thank a teacher day. I want to take this opportunity to thank, on your behalf, all of the teachers and support staff at Abbot Beyne School for the wonderful work they have done since I started at the school 21 months ago. I have been amazed at the outstanding work the school has achieved in such a short space of time. We have seen significant improvements in behaviour, attitudes, punctuality and attitudes to learning. Our enrichment programme has gone from strength to strength. We interviewed yesterday for new Heads of Year and one of the candidates said the reason they wanted to apply for the job is because of everything they had heard about the school in the local community. As I said last week, our focus will now become attendance and ensuring students are in school and learning whenever they can be.

I am writing having just come from a lovely leaving ceremony for our Year 13 students. As I said to them, I feel they are the year group that has been impacted on most by the pandemic and it was fantastic to see them all together and celebrating their achievements.

Lots to look forward to next term in terms of trips and visits, the prom and a large reward trip to Alton Towers. All details to follow on our return.

Short and sweet today. Can I take this opportunity to wish you all a wonderful holiday and do enjoy the extra Bank Holiday.

Kind regards

Mr Jamie Tickle

Headteacher