

14th October 2019

To All Parents/Carers Within Hatton Academies Trust

Dear Parents/Carers

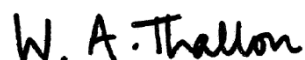
I am writing to inform you that, following a rigorous selection process, the Board of Directors have appointed Mr Rob Hardcastle as Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Hatton Academies Trust.

The Chief Executive role is to support the Principals in each of our academies to ensure that the high standards of educational excellence are maintained in each of the four settings. Mr Hardcastle will be working closely with each Academy Principal.

Mr Hardcastle is no stranger to the Trust, having served as Acting CEO for the past few months, and as Head of Primary Education since 2017. Prior to that, he established an outstanding track record in a number of leadership positions within local primary schools. As those who have worked with him will know, he is a principled leader with strong values, completely dedicated to the quality of education and care for young people. This is an excellent appointment for everyone associated with the Trust.

I know he is very much looking forward to the challenge, and that he will have the support of everyone within and around our family of schools.

Yours sincerely



W. A. THALLON
Chair, Board of Directors