

23<sup>rd</sup> April 2010

Dear Parents

### Headteacher Interviews

Following a rigorous day of interviews, assessments and observations, the school governors have decided not to offer the position of Headteacher to any of the three candidates called for interview. Whilst this is disappointing, it is imperative that the right person is identified to be the next Headteacher for our school, and that a 'best fit' is simply not acceptable. We are 100% committed to finding the correct person.

This means that we will now work with Hampshire County Council and the Diocese to identify a suitable acting Headteacher who will drive our school forward during the Autumn Term. We have already begun the recruitment process to identify our new Headteacher for January 2011 (this timescale is in line with Headteacher notice periods).

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the staff for their tremendous support in a demanding week, and we know that by working together we will find the right solution for our school.

Yours sincerely

Ian Green  
Chair of Governors