



## North Walney Primary, Nursery & Pre-School

"Creative Learning, Quality Education, Achieving Dreams"

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Dear Parents and Children

Before I introduce myself to you all, please allow me to thank all of the staff, children and governors for making me feel so welcome at your school. It is always a privilege to work in a new school and to meet new, hardworking people whose only goal is to provide the best possible education for the children in their care.

My name is Paul Slater, and as of September 2016 I will be the new Headteacher for the next 12 months. This is to support the school in continuing to provide quality learning experiences for all the children as well as supporting the governing body in appointing a new Headteacher in 2017. I am really looking forward to working alongside you all.

I have been a Headteacher now for 13 years in 2 different schools – one in St Anne's, near Blackpool and one in Heysham, just outside Lancaster. I will be continuing to be the Headteacher at Trumacar Primary School in Heysham whilst I take over here and therefore there will be some days when I am not actually present in school. This does not mean you cannot get in touch with me as I have offered my full support for North Walney Primary School and therefore will be able to answer questions or concerns either when I am in the school, or via email using the Headteacher's email address at the top of this letter.

As I have said, I am really looking forward to working with everyone to support North Walney Primary, Nursery and Pre-School in becoming a school with a positive and outstanding local reputation. I truly believe that by working together – pupils, parents, staff and governors – this is possible.

Once again, thank you so much for the welcome so far, and I look forward to meeting you and working alongside you in September. If you have any questions in the meantime, please do not hesitate to email me and I will try and get back to you as soon as I possibly can.

Yours sincerely,

Paul Slater