



**St John with St Michael  
CE Primary School**

**September 2021**



**Mr Rooney Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2021**

## **Message from your new Headteacher:**

Dear Pupils,

I am so happy to be your new Headteacher and I can't wait to start working with you in September.

I promise to ensure that you receive a great education at our school, and I promise to develop a curriculum that will excite and engage you. A curriculum that will ignite your interest in learning. I want each child at our school to discover their unique talents. Every child has talents and it is our job as teachers to help you to discover them!

In return for these promises, I would like you to promise to always try your best in lessons, and to make the most of opportunities and experiences that we provide you.

With regards to behaviour, I have high expectations, and I would like you to promise to always behave to the best of your ability, and I expect you to show respect, which is one of our core Christian Values. Disrupting the learning of others will never be tolerated at our school.

I know you were expecting Mr Shaw to be joining you in September. However, I will be getting married over the summer holidays, and I will be changing my name to my mother's family name which is Rooney. Therefore, when I join you in September, my name will be Mr Rooney.

As a Manchester United fan, my family name of Shaw or Rooney was a really difficult choice to make!



One of my main passions when I have spare time is to read a good book. I love nothing more than to allow my imagination to run wild by allowing the words on the page to come alive in my head. It is so important to read, as this is one of the most crucial skills that helps us to learn new things.

Please can I ask each and every one of you to read books, comics, newspapers or magazines over the holidays and I would love you to share with me what you have enjoyed reading in September. Here are some recommendations of my favourite books: (turn over)

Yours sincerely,

*S. Rooney*

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**Mr Rooney's  
favourite books:**

