



Larkspur
Community Primary School

30 August 2024

Dear Parent/ Carer

Hello from Mrs Anglesea New Headteacher of Larkspur Community Primary School

I wanted to write to you all to formally introduce myself as your new Headteacher. I feel extremely privileged to take on the role of Headteacher of Larkspur. From the moment I stepped through the door on my initial visit, I felt Larkspur was a special place with a team I wanted to be part of.

I was fortunate enough to work at my previous school for 22 years, starting as a Year 2 teacher and eventually becoming Deputy Headteacher and Acting Headteacher in my final year.

Becoming part of the community at Larkspur is extremely important to me. Ensuring your children receive the best education and care at our school is my priority. I love nothing more than seeing their happy faces skip into school each morning.

My husband Matt is also a teacher, and we have two boys. George, a typical teenager about to go into Year 11 at school. He loves musical theatre and performing in shows. Freddie, my cheeky tinker who is about to go into Year 6 at primary school, certainly keeps us on our toes. He is happiest when covered in mud on a football pitch. I know first-hand what it is like to have children in primary school, and I understand what is important and what matters to parents and children alike.

I hope you will find the transition from Mrs Liddle to myself a positive one. The team has already been extremely supportive, and it is clear we all want the absolute best for your children. I feel excited that together, Larkspur will continue to grow and improve.

Here is where I need your help... Firstly, communication and working together is vital. I encourage an open and collaborative relationship between us. Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions, suggestions, or concerns you may have. Come and say hello in the yard at any time, alternatively, if you would like a meeting, pop into the office to arrange. Secondly your children need to attend school. Regular attendance has a significant impact on the progress your child will make academically and socially. The more productively we can work together to support attendance, the better your child's school experience and outcomes will be.

In closing, I am genuinely excited about the opportunities and challenges that lie ahead. With your support alongside our dedicated and talented staff, I am confident we will continue to provide a nurturing and enriching educational experience for your children while raising standards across the school.

I look forward to getting to know you and working together to make Larkspur the best it can be.

Kind regards,

Katy Anglesea
Headteacher at Larkspur