

2 September 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

### **Appointment of Principal at Seahaven Academy**

As we look ahead to the beginning of the new academic year, we are writing to you with the positive news that we have appointed Mr Mark Newnham Reeve as Principal at Seahaven Academy. Mr Newnham Reeve's appointment follows a thorough recruitment process and he has taken up post today.

As you will be aware, Mr Newnham Reeve was previously a Vice Principal at the school and so is already well known by students, staff and parents. Having dedicated 18 years of his teaching career to Seahaven, Mr Newnham Reeve is well versed in the needs of the school community and has rightly high ambitions for Seahaven's future. We are confident that, under his leadership, the school will continue to go from strength to strength.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr David Oakes for leading the school towards the end of the last academic year. Mr Oakes will continue in his role as Executive Principal and will be on hand to support Mr Newnham Reeve and the Senior Leadership Team as needed.

Thank you for your ongoing support of the school and may we wish your child an excellent start to the new term.

Yours sincerely,



**Sir Jon Coles**

Chief Executive Officer



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Director of Secondary Academies