



Eden Girls

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Assalaamu Alaikum (Peace Be Upon You)

Leadership announcement

We hope you and your family are well and are enjoying the summer break.

We are writing to inform you about some important news relating to the leadership of Eden Girls' School, Coventry. Mr Anand Patel will be leaving his role as Principal at the end of the summer holiday to take up a new role as Principal of another Star Academies school.

We are pleased to announce that Mrs Akram, who is currently Vice Principal, has been appointed as the new Principal of Eden Girls' School, Coventry. Mrs Akram will take up the role on 1 September 2022.

Mrs Akram is a very experienced school leader. Since joining the school in 2018, she has made a profound contribution to the development of the school, worked diligently to improve standards and pupil outcomes, and is passionate about the school's success. During her time as Vice Principal, Mrs Akram's responsibilities have included the quality of teaching and learning across the school, delivering a rich pupil leadership and enrichment programme, and the school's outreach initiatives with local organisations, colleges and universities.

Many of you will already know Mrs Akram in her capacity as Vice Principal. There will be opportunities for parents and carers to meet her at the beginning of the autumn term so that you can hear first-hand of her ambitions for our pupils and the school. Further details will be provided in September.

We look forward to working closely with Mrs Akram to ensure the outstanding standards you have come to expect are maintained and enhanced and that our young women at Eden Girls' School achieve the best possible academic and pastoral outcomes.

We wish to place on record our sincere thanks to Mr Patel for working tirelessly to successfully lead an exceptional school with a proud record of supporting its pupils to achieve outstanding academic outcomes.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all you do as parents to support the school. We hope you and your family continue to remain safe and well. Please continue to remember the school in your prayers/duaas.

Yours faithfully,

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Chair of Governors
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