



St Modan's High School

Royal Stuart Way

Stirling

FK7 7WS

Tel. 01786 470962

Fax. 01786 447117

Email: stmodanshs@stirling.gov.uk

Web: www.stmodans.co.uk

Headteacher: Raymond O'Neill B.Ed

Dear parent /carer

I am contacting you to update you on a change to our Pupil Support and Development structure from August 2019. Our school roll has increased significantly in recent years and will increase further in August. As a result, our current House structure of three Principal Teachers will be insufficient to meet the needs of our young people.

Following a consultation process that included:

- Focus groups with the substantive PTs PSD and SMT
- Whole staff survey
- Pupil survey with all of S5 and S6 (young people who have experience of both systems)
- Survey to Parent Teacher Partnership members
- Review of our needs as a school

The decision has now been made to move away from the House system and implement a new system, with a Principal Teacher PSD responsible for each year group. This was a system that worked well for St Modan's in the past and we hope to make a seamless transition back to this system.

From August 2019, PTs PSD will be allocated as follows:

S1 and S6 Mrs N McGeehan (3 x days) and Mrs M Farrugia (2 x days)

S2 New Appointment- still to be confirmed

S3 Mr M Paoli

S4 Mr S Curran

S5 Ms J Sinclair

We will hold assemblies with all pupils this week to share with them the results of the consultation and the plans for August.

If you have any questions or queries about the new system, I would ask that you contact your child's current Head of House or Mrs Shandley (DHT).

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Raymond O'Neill'.

Mr O' Neill
Headteacher