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RAR/SAC

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Dear Parent/Carer

LEADERSHIP SUPPORT FOR MACCLESFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

You will have undoubtedly read in the local Press of the sudden retirement due to ill health of Mr G Ward, the headteacher of Macclesfield High School.

The Governing Body of Macclesfield High School and Cheshire East Local Authority approached our Governing Body to ask for senior leadership support for an interim period until Macclesfield High School is in a position to appoint a new headteacher.

The approach was made with the knowledge that Tytherington has a very experienced Leadership Team and that with appropriate resources being made available, it had the capacity to provide the required support.

In the spirit of partnership work for which Tytherington High School has now become well known and was graded as being outstanding in the recent OfSTED report, governors have agreed to second Mr K Harrison, Deputy Headteacher, to be Acting Headteacher of Macclesfield High School until the end of the current academic year (31st August 2010) and I will act in the capacity of Consultant Headteacher to the school for the equivalent of two days per week.

Given the urgency of the situation, the arrangements started yesterday. The next few weeks will be a transition period to enable Tytherington High School to put in place appropriate back up arrangements to cover for Mr Harrison and Mr Robinson.

The governors of Tytherington High School were honoured that the school had been approached to offer their support to a member school of the Macclesfield and Bollington EIP and see it as a testimony to the quality of leadership at Tytherington. The additional resources that are being made available to the school will not only cover any temporary alterations to staffing but will also enhance opportunities for both staff and students building on the strong leadership as identified by OfSTED earlier this year.

I will write again before half term to inform you of the temporary arrangements made once they have been confirmed.

Yours sincerely

R A ROBINSON
Headteacher

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