

September 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

Director of Learning change for Year 8

As your child moves into Year 8, I am pleased to inform you that I have taken over responsibility for their academic progress and pastoral well-being and Mrs Saunders will be the Student Support Officer (SSO) for the year group. Together we will continue the excellent work undertaken by Mr Sweetman and Mrs Banyard last year encouraging classroom success, tolerance of others and a sense of community.

In the last academic year, I was Director of Learning for Year 11. The students exceeded all expectations and had a successful set of GCSE results. My aim this year is to ensure that students are happy and settled into the year group and effectively prepare themselves for the GCSE Options process. I am confident that every student will be given the opportunities needed to fulfil their potential and over the next four years, I will encourage your child to get involved in as many extra-curricular activities as possible. This will allow them to develop their passions, create new friendship groups and feel part of the Rossett community.

I strongly believe that outstanding schools are formed on solid relationships between students, teachers and parents. I therefore ask that we work closely together in the future creating conditions that allow your child to develop into a mature independent learner ready to contribute towards society in a very positive sense.

I want your child's time at Rossett to be enjoyable whilst also producing the results needed to pursue their dreams later on in life. If the school can do anything more to help clear the path towards success then please contact me directly on egrimshaw@rossettschool.co.uk or 01423 564444 (371).

Yours sincerely

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