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**Dear Parent/Carer** 

I am writing to you to let you know that Mrs Herriman, who had been appointed Interim Executive Principal of Landau Forte Academy QEMS, suffered an injury whilst skiing which will unfortunately require an extensive period of rehabilitation. As such, she will be unable to commute to the academy for the remainder of the academic year as planned. We would like to thank her for her efforts and wish her all the best as she recovers from this injury.

We are currently advertising for a permanent Head for the school from September. In the meantime, the school will be led by Dr Antony Edkins (Chief Executive of the Landau Forte Charitable Trust), supported by Mrs Meena Wood as Senior Associate Principal. Mrs Wood has served for 11 years as one of Her Majesty's Inspectors and has led a number of successful school improvement projects.

Both Dr Edkins and Mrs Wood want to encourage Parents/Carers to make contact with the school if there are any issues or concerns. It is now policy at Landau Forte QEMS that Parents/Carers' enquiries or concerns will be dealt with by a senior member of staff. Parents/Carers can email the school at post@lfatg.org.uk if they wish to raise any issue and this will be forwarded onto a member of the Senior Leadership Team.

We would also like to involve Parents/Carers in the selection of the new substantive Principal – if you are interested, please get in touch with the Principal's PA, Grace Powell, <u>gpowell@lfatq.org.uk</u> for more information.

Yours sincerely

Antony Edkins

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