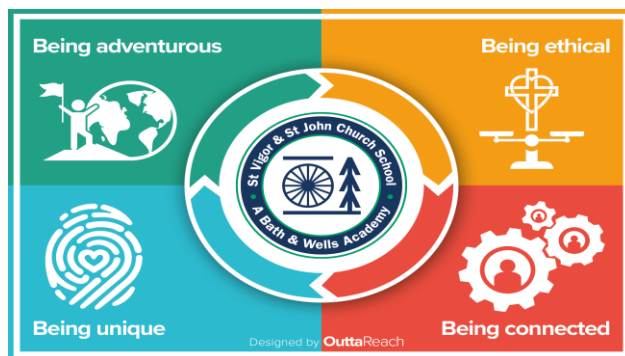




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06 July 2026

Dear Parents and carers

Deputy Headteacher

I am writing to let you know that, from September, Mrs Ceri Mapstone has been appointed to the position of Deputy Headteacher. She will remain our SENDCO. As SENDCO, Mrs Mapstone has formed part of our leadership team since January 2024. She is an experienced teacher and leader and currently holds the position of Assistant Headteacher at another school. She will now increase her time at SVSJ and be present in school from Mon-Weds.

I would like to thank you all for the positive and supportive comments you have passed to Mrs Sheppard following the announcement that she will now be Head of School at St Aldhelm's as well. Your support and trust is always so important to us and we sincerely thank you for it. Mrs Mapstone will now be able to add further to our leadership capacity, be another port of call for you all where necessary and ensure the safe and successful future of SVSJ that we all are so committed to.

Senior Leadership Team and Responsibilities 2026/27

Chris Chorley – *Executive Headteacher & Deputy Safeguarding Lead*

Leah Sheppard- *Head Of School & Safeguarding Lead*

Ceri Mapstone- *Deputy Headteacher & SENDCO*

Suzanne Cox – *Early Years Lead*

Sophie Dent -*Nursery Manager & Deputy Safeguarding Lead*

Emily Denning – *Deputy Nursery Manager & Deputy Safeguarding Lead*

Yours sincerely

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