



8th September 2023

To the Parents and Carers of Pupils in Year 6
St Bernadette's Catholic Primary School
Bispham

Dear Parents and Carers

I will be visiting St Bernadette's at **3.30pm on Thursday 14th September 2023** and it would be wonderful if you, and your son / daughter, were able to join me for just thirty minutes. I will share with you the recent developments at Cardinal Allen and the exciting opportunities that are available at the school for your child. Critically, it provides an opportunity for me to go through some aspects of the application process, which will ensure that you have the best opportunity of securing a place for your child. I can also explain how we prioritise those children from our partner primary schools – Catholic or otherwise – over pupils from other schools. We know from previous years that parents of pupils in our partner schools appreciate these visits and they enable parents to ask questions specifically regarding their own son / daughter.

I also extend a warm invitation to you and your family to attend our annual **Open Evening**, which takes place on **Thursday 21st September 2023**. I will be addressing parents at 5pm and 6pm in the Hall after which you are welcome to acquaint yourselves with all that the school has to offer.

I look forward to meeting you on the 14th, and to seeing you at our Open Evening. If you have any questions about applying for a place at Cardinal Allen, please feel to call or email me at school.

Yours sincerely

Andrew Cafferkey
Headteacher

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