

Words from CEO

Cidari Connect: Supporting each other



This week I have had the privilege of visiting our Year 6 pupils and their teachers as they prepare for the forthcoming SATs exams next week. The children said that they felt "excited", "nervous", "prepared" and "confident". My message to the children in the Cidari family was that all that we ask of them is that they give of their best. Please pray for children, teachers and families as they approach next week.



Cidari Connect: Reviewing our practice

On Tuesday members of the Board of Directors and the Cidari Leadership Team held their annual Away-day meeting. This provided us with the opportunity to reflect on the year and review our practice. We were joined by Scott Walker, Regional Director for the 'Academy Ambassadors' a DfE funded organisation that supports Academy Trust Boards. Scott was able to share with us examples of effective practice and advise us on our direction of travel. Outcomes from the meeting will be shared on the Cidari website shortly.

Cidari Connect: Planning ahead

On Wednesday Peter Ashworth, Our Leader of Learning and I met with colleagues from 'Teach First' to explore how we can work together to develop and grow high quality student teachers for our academies. We will have a presentation from 'Teach First' colleagues at the next Headteachers' Network on 17th May.

Cidari Connect: Working together

Thank you to everyone who has provided feedback on our Scheme of Delegation. If you have not yet submitted your comments, please ensure that your feedback is sent to Clare Shaw in advance of the Working Party meeting on 12th May.

Cidari Connect: Growing the family

Please pray for everyone involved in the interviews for the substantive Headteacher post at St George's School – A Church of England Academy which take place on 9th and 10th May.

