



St Mary's and St John's CE School

"With God, all things are possible" (Matthew 19:26)

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Dear Parents/Carers,

IRIS Connect – Building on teaching excellence through collaboration and sharing practice

We are delighted to be using 'IRIS Connect', an innovation in teacher professional development, which uses a secure video system to enable teachers to reflect and share their many examples of excellence with our team of teaching staff across the school. Our aim is for all teachers to be as good as the best, and through sharing our outstanding practice, teachers can reflect, amend and trial new and creative teaching, learning and assessment techniques to ensure the very best outcomes for all pupils.

The lessons captured by IRIS Connect are only accessible by the teacher that recorded them, or within their network for specific professional development. The recordings take place in a normal lesson and will not require any additional participation. All we ask is that your children continue to work as hard as they always have done.

We hope that you will be happy for your child to be included and if you need any more information or if you have any questions regarding this project then please do get in touch.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter.

Yours faithfully,

Mr M Serrão
Principal

Mrs R Caldbeck
IRIS Connect Coordinator