

UPDATE: 5 MARCH 2020

SUSPENDED MEMBERS OF STAFF CLEARED OF ALL ALLEGATIONS

Following hearings held by independent and external ACAS-recommended hearing officers, it has been found that allegations made against the two suspended members of staff are unsubstantiated.

The NEU is extremely pleased that their outstanding colleagues have been vindicated. After eight and a half months out of school on suspension our dedicated colleagues are keen to return to work as soon as possible.

We will now be working with an entirely new governing board to ensure our colleagues return to their posts without delay, so they are able to get back to serving the students whom they care so deeply about.

This means that all three members of staff suspended in June have now been cleared of the allegations made against them by the leadership of St Catherine's Catholic School.

However, a fourth member of staff was unfairly dismissed in October without the school following proper procedure, as set out in the school's own policies.

St Catherine's NEU expect and look forward to the prompt return of all of our colleagues.