

# WELCOME

September 2026



**Lisa Barker**  
FCC Headteacher

“ We are delighted that you will be joining in FCC in September. There's a whole world of exciting opportunities and knowledge for you to enjoy and explore here. We will be working with you and your primary school over the coming weeks to answer any questions and make sure that you are feeling confident and comfortable about the transition to your new school and the adventures that lie ahead. We are really looking forward to meeting you and welcoming you to FCC. ”



**Miss Julia Nichols**  
Head of Year 7

“ Welcome. My name is Miss Nichols and I am responsible for the Transition Programme at FCC. My role is to support Year 7 in making a settled and happy start to secondary school. I will meet you at the transition events, visit your primary schools and take you through your first year at FCC. I will help you to learn what is expected from you at school, celebrate your successes and encourage you to work hard, take part in lots of exciting activities and make the very best of your time here. I am delighted to welcome you to FCC and excited to meet you all very soon. ”



**Sarah Sumner**  
SENCo

“My name is Sarah Sumner and I am the SENCo at Faringdon Community College. My role is to oversee the SEND provision across the school. At FCC, we believe that everyone is a teacher of SEND, therefore SEND support starts in the classroom with inclusive teaching strategies to ensure all students are well supported. We also have a team of amazing teaching assistants, who provide support in the classroom and deliver a range of interventions. My hobbies include running, horse riding and writing poetry.”



**Hannah Francis**  
FCC Inclusion  
Manager

“I am Hannah Francis and I am one of the Inclusion Managers at FCC. I have worked at FCC for 8 years and was also a pupil here many years ago! As part of my role, I work on the transition from Year 6 to Year 7. You might have already seen me in your school. I will be speaking with your teachers to find out all about you and will look to support your transition to secondary as best I can. I will be around on your transition visits so please do come and say hello”

My name is Becky and I have worked at Faringdon Community College for twenty years (it's very likely that I know some of your parents from when they were here!). I am responsible for making sure all your details are correct on our school system and if you or your parents have any questions or concerns, I can help with that.

The year ahead of you is going to be really rewarding, very busy and very tiring. Have fun as you learn and make new friends.



**Becky Burke**  
Student Admissions

All of our transition information can be found on our school website but if you need to contact a member of the transition team please use the following email address [transition@fcc.cambrianlt.org](mailto:transition@fcc.cambrianlt.org)

We look forward to meeting with you soon!