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Dear Parent/Guardian

PROPOSED MULTI-ACADEMY TRUST – UPDATE

Further to our letter dated 10 February 2015, I can now update you on the progress being made towards the formation of the Multi-Academy Trust (MAT) with Carre's Grammar School.

The consultation period for the formation of the MAT ended in March. During the consultation the school received a total of 18 letters and/or emails about the proposed change, the vast majority of which were positive. We received support from Lincolnshire County Council, Stephen Phillips MP and local schools amongst others.

At a meeting on 17 March 2015, the Governing Body of KSHSSA voted unanimously to proceed with the formation of a Multi-Academy Trust. Since then, the two schools have been working together to produce a proposal document which will be submitted shortly to the Education Funding Agency in order to create the new MAT. We hope to hear the outcome of the submission by the middle of July.

We believe this proposed new arrangement will give many benefits to the young people of Sleaford and its surrounding areas by being able to offer the best features from two successful schools in terms of high quality teaching and learning, leadership, administration and governance. As stated previously, the two schools will continue to operate on the two current sites sharing facilities, leadership and staff where beneficial.

Yours sincerely

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