

Buxton Primary School

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Dear Colleague,

The Aylsham Cluster Co-operative Trust

We are delighted to be able to update you on the exciting progress of our application to become a Foundation School and acquire Charitable Trust status. The reasons for these decisions were highlighted in the letter from Mike Jackson, Chair of Shadow Governors/IEB, on 14th February 2011. The Governing Body has carefully reflected on all of the concerns which were raised in the initial consultation and feel very confident that moving to Charitable Trust status is in the best interests of the children at Buxton. We are now in a position to send you the Formal Proposal which is attached to this letter.

At Buxton, we strive to provide high quality teaching and learning to benefit each and every child, regardless of need or circumstance. We endeavour to break down barriers to learning and development, through our approach of supporting the whole family. Given the ever tightening constraints thrust upon school budgets, we firmly believe that by formalising our partnerships with our cluster schools in the form of a Trust, we will secure shared expertise and resources - this will help us provide a Quality Education to your child and become a support to you should ever you need it. This will also free up the valuable time of Headteachers by allowing them to concentrate on their vital role of leading the teaching and learning in the school.

On a day to day basis the school will continue function in the same way. The proposed changes will ensure that your children and those of future generations who attend Buxton school, will help every child and family to have access to the very best education.



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By formalising this partnership:

- ❖ We will be achieving best value in our use of public funding expenditure
- ❖ We will be providing sustainable high quality education
- ❖ We will be better placed to free up resources for quality staff
- ❖ We will be better able to support you and your children

Please read the enclosed formal proposal and if you still have any queries or questions, do contact us. Thank you for your continuing support and we hope you share with us the exciting prospects that this proposal has in store.

Kind Regards

Deborah Leahy

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Headteacher

On behalf of IEB/Governing Body

