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Dear Parents and Carers,

Interim Executive Board (IEB)

I write to inform you that with effect from 2nd July 2018 the school's Governing Body has been replaced by an Interim Executive Board.

The purpose of the IEB is to oversee rapid improvement of the school following the Ofsted inspection which took place in March 2017 and the subsequent monitoring visit which took place on 22nd May 2018.

You will be aware that unfortunately the outcome of the Ofsted inspection placed the school in a very vulnerable position. The Local Authority, Diocese and the Department of Education feel that the establishment of an IEB will enable the school to rapidly improve over the coming months. The IEB will undertake all the duties that previously lay with the Governing Body and also oversee the school's conversion to academy status, which is a statutory requirement following the school's receipt of a Directive Academy Order after the Ofsted inspection judgement of Inadequate.

Since its inspection the school has been supported by Sola Fide CE Academy Trust and this support will continue over the coming months. Sola Fide is the academy sponsor for the school nominated by the Department of Education.

Details of the IEB members will shortly be available on the school's website.

The IEB members are very much looking forward to working closely with staff, parents and children over the coming months, as we look to address areas requiring improvement and build on the school's strengths and attributes.

Yours faithfully,

Andy Collinge

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Chair of the Interim Executive Board



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