



To All Parents
Maiden Erlegh Trust

10 September 2019

Dear Parent

We wanted to make you aware of a development at Maiden Erlegh Trust. We are delighted to say that we are working very closely with the Interim Executive Board (IEB) and the Headteacher of Phoenix College in Reading with a view to welcoming them officially into our Trust on 1 January 2020.

As a Trust every decision to grow is taken very carefully. We remain committed only to partner with schools we believe in, and only when we feel able to support them effectively and without detriment to our existing schools. We are determined to ensure that all our schools become and remain exceptional schools and provide the best possible education for each and every child in their respective communities.

With regard to our partnership with Phoenix College, we are fortunate to be working alongside specialists who will undertake the vast majority of this work. Furthermore, we anticipate that this will also bring professional development opportunities for colleagues across the Trust who may be interested in developing expertise in special or alternative education, school improvement or central services.

We are very excited about this partnership and believe it will bring benefits to all parties.

If you have any questions about this project, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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Chair of Maiden Erlegh Trust

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