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To All Parents
Maiden Erlegh Trust

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Dear Parent/Guardian

Over the past 12 months we have developed a close working relationship with Whiteknights Primary School through our Teaching School and during this period it has become clear that the culture, values and ethos of Whiteknights Primary School align closely to those of the Trust.

Mr Francois Walker, Headteacher of Whiteknights, has been supporting the Trust's work with Great Hollands Primary School and provides support and guidance to staff as they embed and develop the improvements already made at that school.

The Trustees recently met with the governing body of Whiteknights Primary School to discuss future collaboration, and as a result we are pleased to share with you that they have made an application to the Department for Education to join Maiden Erlegh Trust. We are confident that a partnership with the Trust will bring a wide range of benefits, not least the strengthening of our primary expertise, but also opportunities for cross-phase research, professional development and even more cross-phase pupil/student exchanges.

Whiteknights is an impressive school with outstanding leadership and a committed and diligent board of governors and, subject to DfE approval, we look forward to welcoming them into the Trust.

Yours sincerely

Miss M Davies
Chief Executive Officer
Maiden Erlegh Trust