



## DARELL PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

### **Academy Conversion Update**

At the Full Governing Body meeting on June 27, the Governing Body voted on the following proposal: 'Should Darell Primary and Nursery School convert to academy status, as part of Every Child Every Day Multi Academy Trust, on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2018?'

The Governing Body voted in favour of this proposal to join the Trust. It was a majority decision of current Governors who attended the meeting. As previously stated, Jane Spencer (Chair) did not vote, or participate in the discussion prior to voting, owing to her role as Trustee of Every Child, Every Day.

This decision has been taken following a rigorous due diligence process and careful consideration of the merits of joining this Trust. As requested, we are also publishing answers to questions that were raised during consultation and have been answered during due diligence. These are now available on the school website.

There will be a further update before the end of term to inform you on any progress and to invite you to a meeting early next term, however, we wanted to communicate our decision as quickly as possible to all parents.

Best regards,

The Governing Body

