

Thursday 17th July 2025

Dear parents/carers

Re: Trust update, summer term 2025

I am writing to share some Trust-wide developments and information.

- **Inclusion**

The Trust's vision is outstanding, inclusive education. We have several initiatives next academic year which support our commitment to inclusion; these include the continuation of our adaptive teaching project, with the support and advice of a leading educational expert in this area, and the launch of a common inclusive language guide which will be shared with the community in due course.

- **Publications**

There will be a number of Trust-wide publications this half term; these include:

- Termly newsletter ([click here](#))
- Student activities 2024-2025 review ([click here](#))
- Student activities 2025-2026 ([click here](#))

There will be an impact report on the Trust's school improvement work, 2022-2025, shared with parents/carers in September as well as reissuing the student activities booklet for 2025-2026 for new families joining one or more of the Trust schools.

- **VLT student league and cup**

As part of the Trust's 10-year anniversary, we launched the VLT cup for schools' participation in the range of activities that are offered to students. The initiative was well received by staff and students and I was fortunate to attend a number of the activities over the year. It has been wonderful to experience firsthand students' engagement and enthusiasm and the sense of our Trust-wide community. The cup was awarded to Ruislip High School, with a winning margin of six points, and more information, including the final standings, is contained in the summer term edition of the newsletter and the annual review of student activities.

- **Policies**

There have been updates to a number of Trust-wide policies and these will be shared with parents and carers in September. A new policy has been written this year - Special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND) - in the Part A (Trust-wide) and Part B (school-specific) format. Schools will shortly have the policy uploaded on their website and an executive summary has been written with a link to Part A ([click here](#)).

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all Trust-wide families an enjoyable summer holiday and we look forward to welcoming students back in September. For students and families leaving one of our Trust schools, I wish you all the best for the future.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in grey ink, appearing to read 'Martina Lecky', written in a cursive style.

Dr Martina Lecky
Chief Executive Officer
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