



11th June 2021

## **Re. Heigham Community Federation**

Dear member of staff/parent/carer/other stakeholder

On 10th June, encouraged by the positive response to public consultation, the governing boards of Recreation Road Infant School and Avenue Junior School voted in favour of the plan to federate the two schools. Heigham Community Federation will be active from 1st September 2021. The attached document offers clarification on two points raised by respondents to the public consultation, and reiterates details for staff, parents, carers and other stakeholders on how the federation will be organised and run.

The next stage is to form the governing body of the new federation. Elections for the staff and parent governor roles will take place this month – please see the attached documents for information on how to get involved. Being a federation governor offers the opportunity to make an important contribution to the life of more than one school; to understand more about teaching and learning, organisational finance and strategic management; and to enhance a wide range of personal and vocational skills.

Thank you for your interest in the consultation process and we look forward to working with you as a federation stakeholder.

Yours faithfully

**Flo Harrison**, Co-Chair of Governors, Recreation Road Infant School

**Matthew Hartley**, Co-Chair of Governors, Recreation Road Infant School

**Mike Grimble**, Co-Chair of Governors, Avenue Junior School

**Nania Poulson**, Co-Chair of Governors, Avenue Junior School