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Dear Parents,

**RE : Everton Heath Primary School Consultation to join The CAM Academy Trust**

Thank you to all parents who responded to our consultation document regarding the proposal to join the CAM Academy Trust. Also, many thanks to those who attended the public consultation meeting on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January. We have published notes from this meeting on the school website.

The school received 29 responses to the consultation as follows:

- 86.21% were in favour of becoming an Academy and joining the Trust.
- 10.35% objected to the proposal.
- 3.44% didn't have a view.

We were pleased with the number of responses overall as this was a very high percentage of participation considering our size of school.

On Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2018, the full governing body held an extraordinary meeting to review the responses in detail, and to consider the proposal. The governors carefully reviewed the details of the objections and unanimously agreed that none of the objections justified the school not proceeding with the application to join the Trust.

Therefore, we are very pleased to confirm that the governing body of Everton Heath Primary School unanimously approved the proposal to apply to the DFE (Department for Education) to become an Academy and join the CAM Academy Trust.

The formal process will now be undertaken with the DFE and we will keep you informed of developments.

This is a very exciting opportunity for the school and we thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

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Headteacher

Nabeel Mardi  
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