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Dear Parent/Carer of Wentworth School

I am writing to update you on some developments that have taken place over the course of the past few days, regarding the Governing Body at Wentworth Primary.

You will be aware the school is joining the White Woods Academy Trust. It was acknowledged by the governing body in September that they would be taking the opportunity to retire upon conversion to the academy; this date was due to be February 1st, however due to the amount of conversions that the authority are dealing with there is a delay in all schools in the process of conversion. The governors still wish to implement their retirement and make way for the formation of the new governing body that will see the school through the lead-up to, and process of, conversion.

This governing body will also remain in place forming the governing body for the school after it has become an academy and we will be working with the trust and local authority to provide a new body to manage this transition. From this point on, I ask that should you have any correspondence for the governing body this be sent care of the school.

In the meantime, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the governors for the service they have given to the community, Diocese and Wentworth Primary School over the past months and years and to express the Diocese's gratitude for their work in this regard.

Yours,

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