





8<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Dear Parents / Carers

I am sure you are all aware as I have shared with you over the past 12 months that Kates Hill is due to embark on a new, exciting adventure with Dudley Academies Trust (DAT) on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2022.

Kates Hill have been working with DAT over the last 12 months and have already benefitted from opportunities for collaboration and CPD.

Kates Hill have made so many improvements over the past few years and outcomes are looking stronger every year. The school is in a great position educationally, financially is incredibly stable, ready to continue to thrive with this local MAT, serving the pupils of Central Dudley.

Kates Hill share the visions and values of Dudley Academy Trust and work tirelessly to instil selfconfidence and self-belief. Dudley Academy Trust inspire learners to achieve their best, to 'Dream Big' in the hope that children fulfil talents and aspire to make positive life choices.

Raising aspirations is close to our hearts at Kates Hill and we have so many positive success stories.

We will hopefully be in a position to share our recent Ofsted report after the Easter holidays, which will give you greater clarity.

I hope you share my enthusiasm as I am confident that your children will blossom and get the very best they deserve.

Yours sincerely

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