



September 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

In the last few days, you may have heard about the exciting changes we're planning for Royston pupils from age 9. As you are thinking about your children's transition to a new school, I wanted to outline how we believe these changes might benefit your child, and to invite you to one of our open events.

To 'future proof' Royston education and to make sure that local learning remains under local control, RSAT (the Academy comprising Greneway, Roysia and Meridian) has decided to create a new school that brings together the best that our existing schools have to offer, combined with lessons learned from other schools and academies.

Greneway, Roysia and Meridian have really benefitted from working closely together over the last few years and all are currently rated 'Good' by Ofsted. As a continuation of this work, RSAT will bring them together to create a new school for Royston for September 2018: one all-through school to ensure continuity of learning and success for pupils – and there is no reason why it shouldn't be rated 'Outstanding'.

Your opinion is important to us – because whilst the RSAT Board knows what our new school needs to deliver, exactly how we deliver it is still being developed. With that in mind, I would like to invite you to one of our open events:

Thursday 5th October, 6pm (Year 9 Transition) – Meridian Site

Wednesday 11th October, 6pm (Year 5 Transition) – Greneway Site

Tours will also be available in the morning (9.15am – 10.30am)

Come and talk to us to understand why this solution will provide the best educational opportunity for your children, and please let us know your thoughts – help us shape Royston's outstanding new school for your children.

We look forward to welcoming you this autumn.

Your sincerely

Mrs L Rawlings
Headteacher