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Dear Parents and Carers,

Many thanks for all the consultation feedback we have received regarding the proposed federation of Colman Infant and Colman Junior Schools. There was an excellent response with a good number of written submissions and face-to-face discussions.

As agreed, the Governing Bodies of both schools met on Wednesday 15th May to review all the consultation feedback. We are delighted to inform you that the feedback was all positive and in favour of the proposed federation. Both governing boards voted unanimously to go ahead with the federation of both schools from the 1st July 2019.

Over the next few weeks we will be working jointly on the formation of new governance arrangements for both schools and will keep you informed as this is shaped. This process will also formalise Mrs Sandford's role across the schools, continuing the work she has carried out on an interim basis during the consultation.

We are excited by this huge step in the future of our schools.

Best wishes

Helen Wardale
Chair of Governors
Colman Infant School

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