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Dear Parents / Carers

Accord Multi Academy Trust Director of Education and Ossett Academy Principal Recruitment

I hope that this letter finds you all well and suitably prepared for what will hopefully be a good weekend with better weather.

As you will gather from the title of this letter, I am writing to inform you of some recent developments at a Trust level that will impact on the future leadership of Ossett Academy.

Following a national recruitment campaign, and extremely rigorous interview process, I can confirm that Mrs Broome has been appointed to a new position within the Trust as Director of Education.

Many of you will know that Mrs Broome has worked at Ossett Academy since 2015 and has been Principal since 2018, and I am sure you will recognise that alongside other colleagues and leaders, she has worked tirelessly in support of pupils and staff, particularly steering the academy community through the pandemic. I am therefore extremely pleased that we are able to retain Mrs Broome in the role of Director of Education and that her association with Ossett Academy and the Trust will continue.

Given the above, our priority now will be to secure the new Principal of Ossett Academy and we will be advertising this opportunity nationally in the next few weeks for a January 2025 start date (or sooner if possible). In the meantime, Mrs Broome will remain in post as Principal of Ossett Academy.

In conclusion, working alongside Governors and the Ossett Academy community, we will ensure that we keep you updated on the outcome of the recruitment process as soon as is possible. In the meantime, can I take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support of the academy.

Yours sincerely



Alan Warboys
CEO