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Dear Parent/Carer

Recently the government has given three secondary schools in Wakefield to Outwood Grange Academies Trust. I have been asked to go and be Principal in one of these schools, which is desperately in need of the Trust's support to improve the life chances of students in their community. As a result Angela Hull, who is currently the Principal at Outwood Academy Foxhills will become the Lead Principal at both Scunthorpe schools, however her main base will be Outwood Academy Brumby. This change in leadership will not take place until after the summer exams.

This is my sixth year at Brumby and I have thoroughly enjoyed my time here. When I first arrived the school was in special measures achieving some of the worst results in the country. We are now achieving results above national averages and getting record results year on year. I am confident this trend will continue this year. The school is now over subscribed and I am immensely proud of what we have achieved in the last 6 years. These successes would not be possible without dedicated staff, supportive parents/carers, a strong governing body and fantastic students.

I am confident the school will continue to go from strength to strength under Angela Hull's leadership. Angela is a National Leader of Education and has taken Outwood Academy Foxhills from the seventh worst school in the country to achieving the highest results in the Local Authority last year. Foxhills has gone from a school in special measures to a good school with outstanding leadership.

Rest assured, my focus will continue to be on the welfare of our students until my very last day. Once again, thank you for your support. It is a privilege to be the Principal of such a wonderful and thriving academy.

Yours faithfully



Toby Rutter
Principal