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Dear Parent/ Carer

I felt it appropriate to update families on the changes at University Academy Kidsgrove (UAK) and University Primary Academy Kidsgrove (UPAK,) as I have been informed that the University Chester Academies Trust (UCAT) will no longer exist once all its academies have been moved to new trusts.

As you will already know, UCAT has been working with the Department for Education and the Regional Schools Commissioner to transfer the two Kidsgrove academies to another trust. These efforts continue and it is believed that real progress has been made in this area, so I hope to inform families of positive developments in the very near future.

Work is underway at both schools as we prepare for the next academic year. The rising numbers of pupils starting both academies reflect the improvements in teaching and learning. Ofsted has recognised the stability brought to the academies under the current leadership.

I want to thank families for their continued support and understanding during a period of some uncertainty. All our staff are working hard to minimise the impact on children and learning as they continue to improve educational outcomes for all our pupils and remain fully committed to providing the very best education for your child at this school.

Yours faithfully

Andy Bygrave
Principal

Kelly Pope
Head of School

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