

Principal: Mrs Alison Sherman

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Parents & Carers of The Sutton Academy Council

Dear Parents/Carers

At The Sutton Academy we aim to achieve the highest possible standards daily. These high standards are driven by our commitment to responding to feedback from all aspects of our Academy community, and we adhere to our ethos that 'feedback is a gift'. We believe the next stage in our journey is to ask the parents and carers of The Sutton Academy to offer us their feedback on a more regular basis. We believe getting feedback from the parent and carer community will allow us to make your child's time at The Sutton Academy a positive and more importantly successful experience.

We are looking to form The Sutton Academy Parent Council where parents and carers can discuss important matters arising, have their say in new initiatives and policies that will take the Academy forward and help us further develop the imperative communication channels between school and home. We would ask that the parents who volunteer to be part of the council can take feedback from the local community and they commit to attending an evening forum once each half term

In the first instance we are looking for initial interest in this type of forum, and will be asking anyone who may be interested in taking part to contact the school with an expression of interest. You can do this by contacting myself directly by email at <u>chris.purcell@thesuttonacademy.org.uk</u>, stating your child's name and tutor group with your expression of interest, by Friday 17th January.

Once we have collected the initial interest we will decide how best to proceed. Depending on the level of interest, we will aim to schedule the first council meeting for the New Year. We will inform you of the date and agenda with plenty of notice in advance of the event.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Yours faithfully

Mr C Purcell

Faculty Leader ADT



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