

27<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to inform you that after working for almost ten years at Queen Katharine Academy (and its predecessor school, The Voyager Academy), Mrs Mayes will be leaving us at the end of the academic year. Mrs Mayes has accepted a role as Principal at Cambourne Village College in Cambridgeshire and will take up her new post in September.

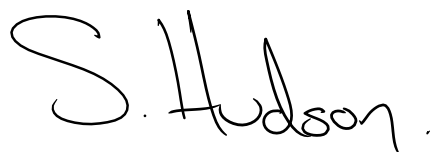
It is very difficult to put into words what Mrs Mayes has done for the Academy; she has been instrumental in driving forward the improvements that have been seen during its recent history and indeed the Good Ofsted rating for the first time in history are testament to the quality of her leadership and passion to make the quality of education and care for the pupils at the Academy the best it can be.

We will shortly be advertising for a new Principal at QKA. Your children and staff at the Academy deserve nothing but the best and we are committed to appointing an exceptional colleague who can build on the high-quality work of Mrs Mayes and lead the academy through the next stage of its development.

In the meantime, Mrs Mayes will continue to work alongside Mrs Driver in providing high quality support and leadership to the Academy, enabling its pupils and staff to flourish.

I am sure you will join me in thanking Mrs Mayes for her tireless commitment to Queen Katharine Academy and in wishing her well in her new venture.

Yours faithfully,



Scott Hudson  
Chief Executive  
Thomas Deacon Education Trust