



Précis of The Collaborative Educational Trust of Wilmslow (TCET) Shadow Trust Board (STB) Meeting – 26th April 2019

The STB held its most recent meeting on 26th April 2019.

Following approval of the schools' applications to convert to academies and to form a Multi Academy Trust (MAT) we are awaiting payment of the conversion grants to support the next stages in the design and build process.

We are now working with our appointed advisors on completion of those detailed tasks that will enable the schools to convert successfully. As part of this work, we have been reviewing timelines to assess whether we will have the MAT, subject to final approval by the participating schools, ready in 2019. We anticipate that, given the delays, in receiving approval to proceed, we will not be in a position to convert until early in 2020. We will continue to review this date based on progress made over the coming weeks.

We have not recruited any additional members to the Trust Board. We will, however, continue to look to identify individuals who we believe will bring additional skills and experience that will enhance the effectiveness of the Board.

We continue to communicate on progress with all those directly and indirectly involved with the schools as parents, staff and members of the local community.

We will continue to post regular updates both on the school and TCET websites.

<https://sites.google.com/site/tcetwilm/>