



27th February 2018

Dear parents and carers,

Change of name of Hugh Christie Technology College

The Governing Body have recently agreed to change the name of **Hugh Christie Technology College** to **Hugh Christie School**.

The Governors have taken this decision because Hugh Christie is no longer a member of the Specialist Schools movement and has developed curriculum strengths beyond the traditional 'Technology College' subjects. The 'Technology College' name is often misunderstood by prospective students and parents as it suggests a narrow curriculum which is not accurate.

This change will have negligible cost to the school and **will not involve** any changes to the logo or school uniform.

For many, the school has always been known simply as 'Hugh Christie'. We believe this change simply states who and what we are and is clear to all.

This change will take place as of the 16th April 2018.

Yours sincerely,

Jon Barker
Executive Principal