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Dear parents

You may have seen in the T & A on Monday 27th June 2016 that, following an Ofsted inspection last month, Grange Technology College, part of the Southfield Grange Trust, has been placed in special measures. Sally Joy the Headteacher and I, Sally Birkbeck, the Chair of Governors are obviously in touch with Dominic Wall, Chief Executive of Southfield Grange Trust, and Sally Joy has spoken to Judy Cheung, the Department for Education lead for the academisation process, about the possible impact on Governors' plans for Delius. In light of those discussions, our recommendation is that Delius should not move forward with academisation until at least the start of the new academic year.

Sally Joy will be sending out a letter to staff and governors to keep all concerned up to date with developments.

Yours sincerely

Sally Birkbeck
Chair of Governors

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Sally Joy
Headteacher



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