

September 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

On behalf of The Sir John Brunner Foundation, welcome to the start of the 2022-23 academic year. I am looking forward to working with The County High School, Leftwich, as a partner in our Multi Academy Trust, to make this year special and memorable for your child. The Sir John Brunner Foundation exists to ensure that **every child's life is advanced and enhanced through the highest standards of education.**

Caring and compassionate colleagues are ready to help your child have a happy, safe and fulfilling year. Your child will be challenged to embrace the highest quality of education and participate in a number of rewarding experiences.

The summer term saw successful procurement projects for new catering, photocopiers and transport contracts across the Foundation. Ensuring that the funding we receive across the Foundation is driven to maximise the educational experience and student outcomes remains a priority.

We are delighted to have been awarded funding from the Department for Business, Enterprise and Industrial Strategy, which has made funds available through Salix Finance, for the Foundation to engage specialist support to prepare heat decarbonisation plans across our estates and put us in a position to prepare for a sustainable future.

At The County High School Leftwich, on top of the general maintenance and annual upkeep of the site, the brand new fully fitted out Drama Studio is ready for students to use. Internal reconfiguration has facilitated an additional classroom. Whilst this means the Library is smaller for the next academic year, it will still be fully functional. The Library will be moved to a larger location ready for academic year 2023-24. The designs for the new four classroom teaching block, with additional toilets and a new Reception and visitor entrance are at the planning permission stage and work is scheduled to start in November. As part of this expansion, a new all-weather multi-sport court will be built, along with improvements to the drainage of the existing grass pitches. Improvements to the catering facilities will be completed during September, offering students even more choice and additional locations to be served.

Finally, whether your child attends The County High School Leftwich, Middlewich High School or Sir John Deane's Sixth Form College I can assure you, members of the School Improvement Team, all colleagues and I, will continue to work relentlessly to **enhance** the College and School experience and provide them with the best tools, experience and qualifications to successfully **advance** to the next stage of their educational journey when the time comes.

Yours sincerely,

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Matthew Snelson - Chief Executive Officer

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