



STUDENTS & PARENTS
BUILE HILL VISUAL ARTS COLLEGE

13 JULY 2018

Dear Students and Parents

You may be aware that your Headteacher (Mr James Inman) has been out of school a few times lately. He has been providing some much needed support to another academy in the Consilium partnership of schools.

Unfortunately the academy in question has found themselves in a very difficult situation and Mr Inman has made a very good impression so we have asked him to provide support for a bit longer. Mr Inman has very kindly agreed to work with the academy for 2 days per week throughout the autumn term. Mr Inman has already provided advice and guidance on the approach used in Buile Hill which is paying dividends, and he is also drawing from a number of other partners schools which means the learning opportunities are very rich and there will be considerable benefits for all our partner schools.

One of the reasons we are confident that we can access support from Mr Inman is the excellent quality of the staff in Buile Hill who we know will manage well in his absence, so this is a massive credit to them also and I would particularly like to draw attention to the exemplar open, honest and positive culture of Buile Hill which embodies the very best of the trust's philosophy to create a happy environment for students and staff and a holistic approach to education.

During the days when Mr Inman will be working elsewhere, Mr Marsh will operate as Acting Headteacher and will be well supported by the wider Senior Leadership Team who I have no doubt you know well.

We expect you to still receive excellent support and care and the education and wider experiences students benefit from at Buile Hill will be unaffected but if you have any questions or concerns do please contact Mr Marsh in the first instance or email ConsiliumAcademies@consilium-at.com and a member of the Central Team will pick this up. In the meantime I hope you all have a fantastic summer and we'll be looking for feedback in autumn so you can tell us how well the staff have coped with Mr Inman's absence!

Martin Shevill

CEO, Consilium Academies