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WILLINGHAM
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29th April 2026

Dear Parents/Carers, Staff, Local Stakeholders, Governors and Trustees

Consultation: Mainstream SEND Hub

We are excited to announce a proposed new initiative to enhance support for children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) within our academy community. We are pleased to have been offered the opportunity, in partnership with Lincolnshire County Council, to provide a mainstream SEND Hub for Key Stages 1 and 2, integrated within our mainstream primary setting.

SEND Hubs aim to provide access for children who have Education, Health and Care Plans (EHCPs) to quality teaching in their local primary or secondary schools, fostering skills, independence, resilience and readiness for the next phase of their lives, while promoting a sense of belonging in their community.

At Cherry Willingham Primary Academy, we believe in breaking down barriers to education. The development of a SEND Hub would transform lives, creating a nurturing, inclusive environment where every young person can succeed.

We include with this letter information about the key features of the proposed Mainstream SEND Hubs. We believe that your insights, feedback and suggestions are invaluable as we strive to create our own Hub provision.

If you would like to comment on our plans, please email cherryenquiries@prioryacademies.co.uk (including *SEND Hub Consultation* in the subject field); or write to Miss Megan Rose, Send Hub Consultation, Cherry Willingham Primary Academy, Lime Grove, Cherry Willingham, Lincoln LN3 4BD. We will take on board, and respond as appropriate, to any points you might raise. Please let us have your responses by **Thursday 21st May 2026**.

If you would like to discuss these proposals further before responding, please contact me by emailing cherryenquiries@prioryacademies.co.uk in the first instance.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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