

Letter from the Chief Executive Officer

15th September 2025

Dear Colleagues,

Following the events of 13th September 2025 in central London – and prior, over several weeks, the wide circulation on social media of hostile material that makes members of our Trust's community feel unsafe – it is important to restate our values and our unwavering commitment to unity, mutual respect for all and reciprocity.

Every member of our schools' communities – students, staff and families – is a cherished part of a diverse, rich and vibrant Mulberry Schools Trust, that works together to build social harmony and happiness, no matter where we are placed. Anyone who attends any of our schools will find us a safe place where they can thrive and belong. We understand and celebrate the distinctiveness of every person in our Trust and all that they are, and we value all that they contribute to our family of schools. In this spirit, we work together against fear and social division and towards a future for our students that is confident, hopeful and free of distrust.

If you have any concerns or know of students and families that are worried or angry, please speak to your school's leadership team and they will help.

With sincere regards,



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