

25th April 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Due to unforeseen circumstances and despite all best efforts, I have to inform you that our new school building will not be ready to move into for June 2022. The Department for Education and Middlesbrough Local Authority continue to work in close partnership with Discovery Special Academy and Tees Valley Education, in order to ensure that the new building is finished as swiftly as possible and to ensure that the children can move into the new school during the academic year 2022-2023.

In the meanwhile, please rest assured that extra temporary accommodation will be made available at the current site on Brambles Academy, so that the quality of education and therapy support that your child currently receives, will continue as normal. This contingency plan ensures that all of our children remain supported and well catered for, with no disruption to their usual routine.

I appreciate that some of you had arranged time with work for the week that the children were originally moving, and I can confirm that as soon as we are in a position to absolutely guarantee a moving time in the new academic year, we will write to you again.

Yours sincerely,

Katrina Morley

CEO Tees Valley Education