11<sup>th</sup> December 2015



**Dear Parents/Carers** 

## Green Bus Service: Q1 and Q2

I would like to provide you with an update on the Bus Service used by the Academy.

As you are aware we have been experiencing some issues with the Green Bus Company over the last term, therefore we have sourced an alternative service which we hope will prove more reliable going forward.

Central Buses will commence their service of the newly named routes "41" (Previously Q1) and "42" (Previously Q2) from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2016. They accept both nBus and Swift cards and charge for a single journey £1.50 (this is to take into account the national increase in bus fares from January 2016, although it works out to be cheaper if you opt for an nBus pass in the long term, which can be used on most West Midlands travel services during the year including holidays and weekends). For more details please visit their website www.centralbuses.com.

The new bus service also provide a text messaging service (which is free of charge) to inform you of changes to the routes, times and any other useful information regarding their travel services. If you would like them to add you to their database please complete the slip below, this will be sent directly to Central Buses for their records.

In the meantime I would like to thank you for your continued cooperation as we try to resolve the ongoing issues.

Yours sincerely

Sonya Callaghan Assistant Vice Principal

Name of Student:

Parent/Carer Name:.....

Main Mobile Contact Number:

Bus Route taken: 41 (Previously Q1) or 42 (Previously Q2)\*

\*Please delete as applicable



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