

Interim Executive Headteacher: Tony Machin

Monday, 2 June 2025

Dear parents and carers,

Following previous information sent to you advising that Olive Academies Trust had been approved by the Department for Education as the preferred sponsor for Two Bridges School, I am pleased to now confirm that the school successfully transferred to Olive Academies Trust on 1 June 2025.

Olive Academies (OA) is a multi-academy trust established in 2013, specialising in alternative provision, with five academies across London and the East of England. You can find out more about the trust and our academies at www.oliveacademies.org.uk

I am delighted to welcome the pupils and staff of Two Bridges School into the Olive family, where we will build on the strengths and achievements to provide high-quality alternative provision, ensuring that pupils are able to reach their potential in a caring and nurturing environment.

We will do our utmost to ensure that pupils do not experience disruption to their learning during the transition.

Two Bridges School will be renamed to OA-Tunbridge Wells and the signage and materials in and around the academy will be updated to reflect this. We have also invested in a new website: <https://aptunbridgewells.oliveacademies.org.uk> We hope that you will find this site a useful resource for key academy information, announcements and showcasing the wonderful work that your children create.

Phone numbers will remain the same but email addresses have changed to the following format: firstname.surname@oliveacademies.org.uk To contact the academy office, please phone the usual number: 01892 519841 or email: info.tunbridgewells@oliveacademies.org.uk

There will be an opportunity to meet with academy leaders later this term, details for this will be available soon. If you have any queries in the meantime, please do contact me, Tony Machin, at tony.machin@oliveacademies.org.uk

Yours sincerely,



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