

Ref: EGY/AHE/GDPR Letter to Parents

25th May 2018

Dear Parent/Carer,

Notification of Changes to Data Protection Regulations

As you may be aware, the introduction of the General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) comes into force today, 25th May 2018. The new regulation will replace the current Data Protection Act and sets out new guidelines on how organisations such as our Academy collect, use, share and process data about your child. Here is a summary of some facts about the GDPR:

It highlights new provisions designed to develop the protection of children's personal data and rights for individuals including:

1. The right of access
2. The right to rectification
3. The right to erasure
4. The right to restrict processing
5. The right to data portability
6. The right to object
7. Rights in automated decision-making and profiling

This will apply to any data or information we collect and use through data collection sheets, our website, school App, social media site, emails, newsletters and any process that requires us to use your child's data or information. Any information or data provided to us will be used solely for academic purposes and communication.

More information on our GDPR compliance will be communicated to you in due course. In the meantime if you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours sincerely,



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