## MP for Macclesfield

I am writing to thank you for fully engaging me in the consultation process associated with the Formal Public Consultation regarding plans for the future of Macclesfield High School.

On the whole, I have received positive feedback on the proposals as I have spoken to local residents. I believe that the proposals represent a positive step forward for Macclesfield's families, pupils and schools and, in particular, are very important for the future of the provision of education in the south of the town. Having met with the leadership teams at both Macclesfield High School and Macclesfield College, I also know that there is a real desire to make the proposed arrangements a real success in the future.

My only regret is that there were not more options available for parents to consider in the formal consulation. But I know that many options were actively considered and that there were no other options which were felt to have met the agreed criteria.

I look forward to working with the new leadership team and all the relevant stakeholders, including Cheshire East Council, to deliver a successful and sustainable future for the school in the future.

Thanks once again for involving me so closely in the consultation process.

David Rutley MP Member of Parliament for Macclesfield