



# VA school to Academy briefing



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# Welcome...



- Strategic Plan recap and update
- Conversion process overview
- Conversion issues including costs
- Preparing for conversion
- How will it affect your school
- Next steps
- Your questions

# Strategic Plan recap and update...



- Consultation on options and issues 2016
- Launch event January 2017
- Key points
  - To protect and secure Catholic education in the Diocese for the long-term
  - To ensure financial viability and most efficient use of resources
  - Focus on school improvement and robust governance
  - To ensure Catholic schools continue to be led by highly skilled and dedicated leaders
  - Four larger MATs
  - Full academisation for all schools – Bishop’s Directive
  - Achieved for 1<sup>st</sup> September 2018
  - Supported by the RSC
- Regional events
- Working Groups

## Conversion...



- Overview process
- Costs
- Preparing for conversion
- How it will affect your school

## Strategic Plan next steps...



- Part 2 by July 2017
- Sign off by Bishop Patrick
- Continued communication
  - Directors Update
  - Briefing on Part 2
  - Regional MAT level events
- Implementation...

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**Your questions...**