



**Horizons Specialist Academy Trust**  
*Providing infinite opportunities*

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Dear parent/carer,

Would you like a new challenge? To be involved in your child's education? To be part of our wider school community?

Involving yourself in your child's school and learning journey is an exciting prospect and one which has huge benefits to you and your child. Research shows that children who's learning is influenced by their parent are more likely to achieve and leave school with qualifications:

*"at age 7, a parent's influence on a child's learning is six times that of their school and even at 11 years old, it is 29% greater. Increased involvement can raise achievement by at least 18%. No involvement means low or no qualifications at 16"*

Mo Mowlam Academy are using the Leading Parent Partnership Award (LPPA) to help strengthen our school's partnership with parents and carers. LPPA is a national award that will provide us with a valuable school improvement tool and also give us recognition for our commitment to working with parents.

The LPPA will help us achieve these long-term benefits:

- contribute to improved pupil attendance, punctuality, behaviour and progress
- increase parent participation and involvement
- enhance parents' support in their children's learning
- improve communication between home and school.

If you would like to become more involved or want more information on how you can be part of The LPPA, please contact us.

Yours sincerely,

Rachel Glover



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