

ENFORCED CLOSURE FOR EUROPEAN PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS – 23RD MAY

Friday 3rd May 2019.

Dear Parents & Carers,

We have recently been informed that Gayton Primary School will have to become a polling station for the European Parliamentary Elections on **Thursday 23rd May.** It was uncertain if the United Kingdom would be participating in this election, and this is the reason we have received for the late notice.

After reviewing the recent polling day for the Local Elections, it was agreed with the Full Governing Body that Gayton would be forced to close to ensure the safety of our children. This will similarly apply to subsequent elections where Gayton is to be used as a polling station.

While we would prefer to remain open, the safeguarding of our children is our highest priority, therefore we have had to make this decision.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs Emma Johnson Interim Headteacher