

PARTNERSHIPS

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**“Partnerships are the new panacea for
all educational ills”**

WHAT SORT OF TRUST?

Values, what values?

Moral purpose means caring about everybody

Large national chains

Geographically driven – phase specific or otherwise

Peer-to-peer (or ‘mates MATs’)

How many Chief Executives can we have?

HOW SHOULD WE ORGANISE SCHOOLS?

By what seems right for an individual school?

By what seems right for a small number of like-minded schools?

By what seems right for children in a geographical area?

By what seems right for a particular age group?

By what seems right for a particular type of school?

By what seems right for all children in an area?

Asking the 'right' question

If we ask 'what are the best arrangements for my children' we will surely get an answer.

If we ask 'what are the best arrangements for our children', then we may get a very different answer.

We need to ask the right question to get the right answer.

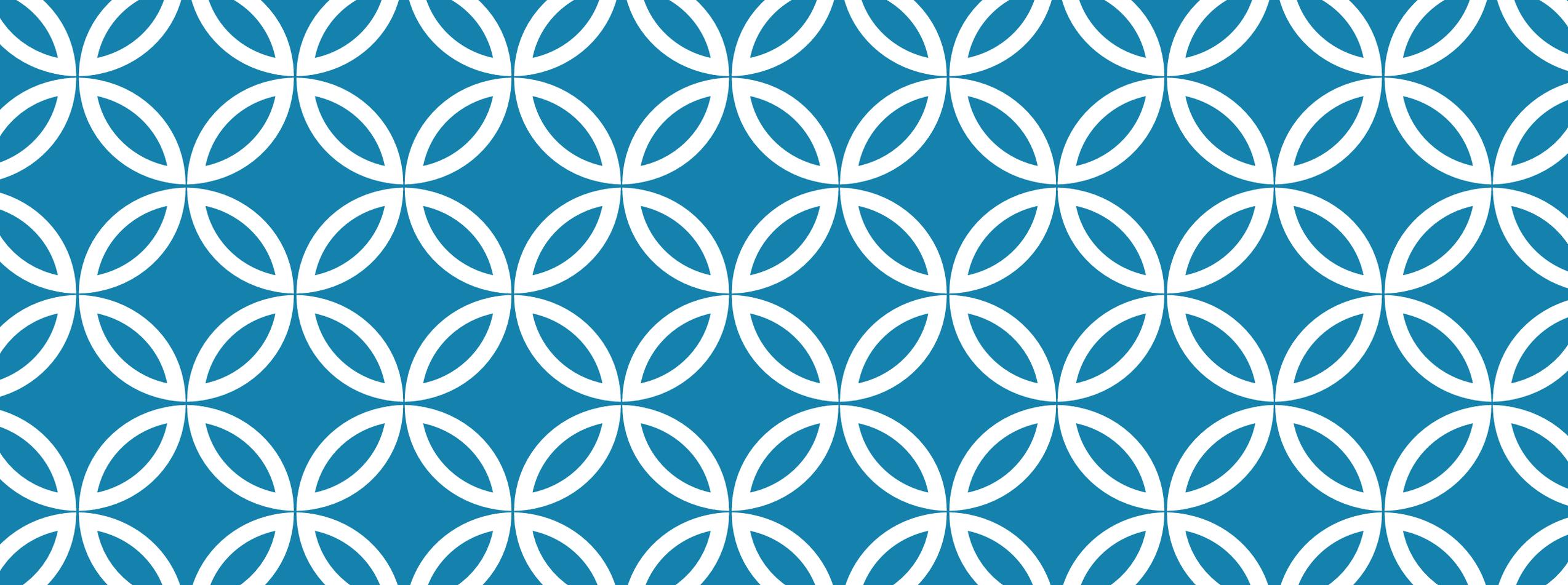


COMMUNITY, COMMUNITY, AND COLLABORATION

We need local schools to serve the local community.

We need local people to insist on good local schools.

We need local schools to collaborate together for the common good.



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