<u>Joint statement from Karen Hucker (Principal of Bexhill College) and Kirsty Prawanna (Headteacher of Glyne Gap School).</u>

After a successful 20-year partnership at Bexhill College, the co-location with Glyne Gap School post 16 facility (The Faculty) will end this academic year - as the college continues to grow.

East Sussex County Council has secured new premises at Sarson House in Dorset Road, Bexhill for the use of Glyne Gap School post 16 students and governors are working with the council to ensure these premises meet students' needs and aspirations.

Since relocating to Penland Road in 2004, the college has continued to develop its curriculum to meet the needs of the wide range of young people from Rother, Hastings and Eastbourne who choose to study there post 16. The space vacated by Glyne Gap will be used to house new T Level courses in Animal Management.

Bexhill College Principal Karen Hucker said: "We wish Glyne Gap every success in the new premises. The move gives us the space to provide even more exciting opportunities for local young people."

Bexhill College and Glyne Gap School will keep their respective communities updated with further developments.