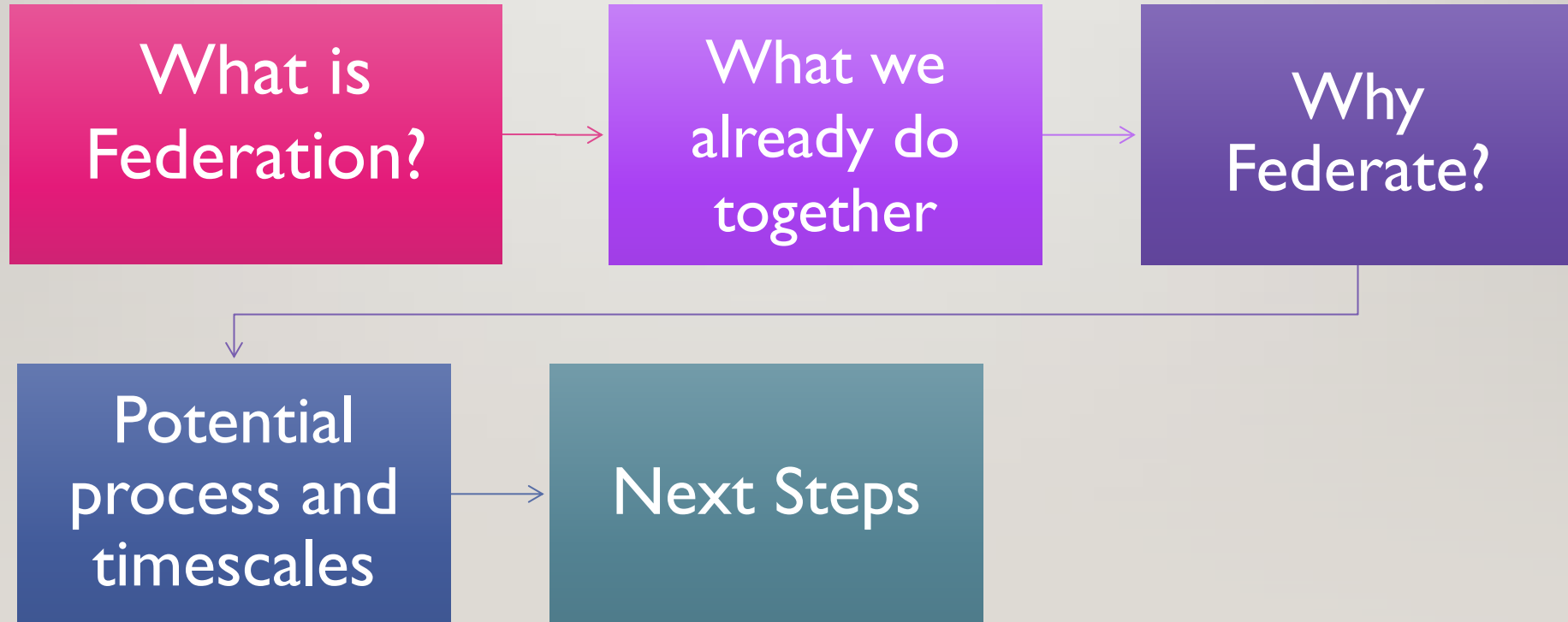


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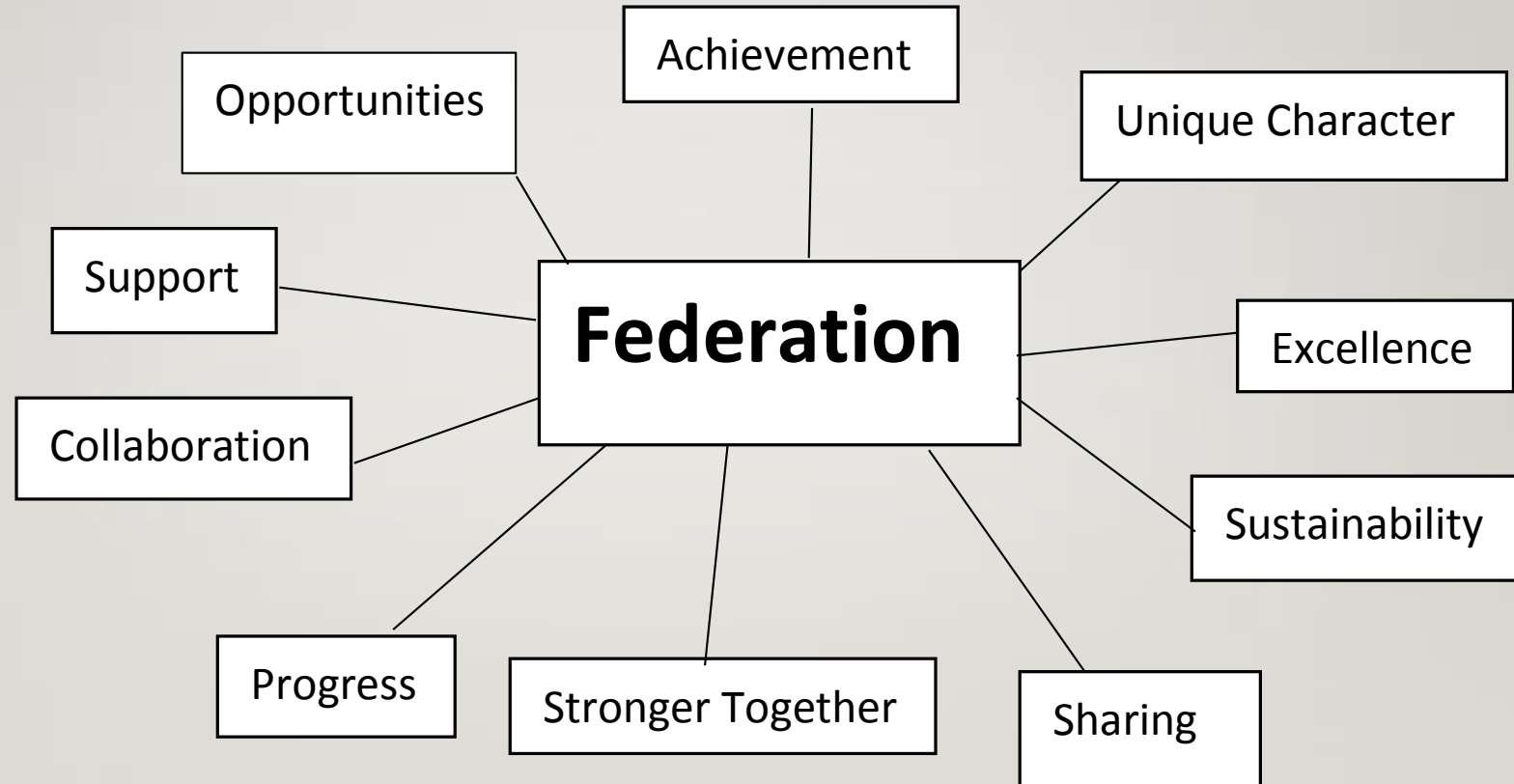
FEDERATION?

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WHAT IS FEDERATION?

- “A Federation is a maintained school structure where a number of schools come together under one governing body” – NGA 2016
- Provides a legal framework for the direction of both schools via a single Governing Body and Executive Head Teacher
- This is **NOT** Academisation
- Local Federations include The Althorp, The Forest and The Pitsford & Walgrave
- Already in ‘Soft Federation’ as have shared an Executive Head Teacher since 2013
- Formalises the current partnership between the two schools



WHAT WE ARE ALREADY DOING TOGETHER

- Share an Executive Head Teacher
- Joint planning – collaboration of ideas and best practice
- Broadening horizons by being able to offer more across the wider school community
- Shared trips and extra curricular activities
- Sharing subject expertise across both schools
- FOYS & FODS working together

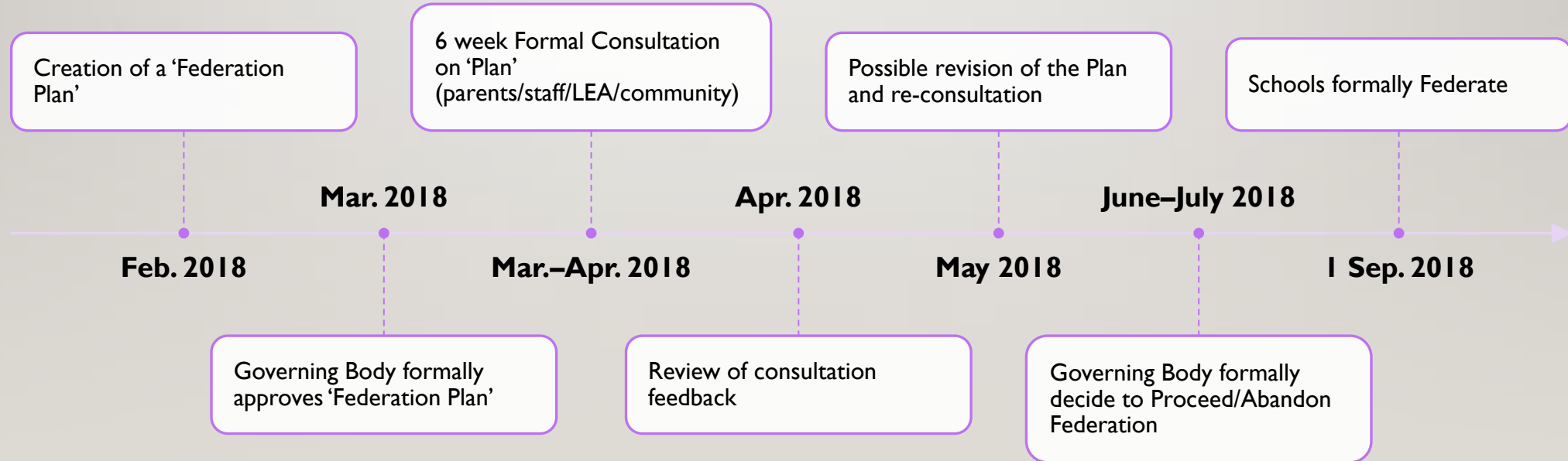
WHY FEDERATE?

- ‘To produce better outcomes for the children, by...’
- Work together but retain unique individual identity
- Share best practice across both schools
- Single Governing Body, working for the best interests of all across both schools
- Cost efficiencies, removing duplication
- Increased support systems for both staff and pupils
- Increased opportunities for staff and pupils
- Improve the schools’ recruitment appeal
- This is a **Pro-active** choice, **NOT** one forced upon us

FEDERATION PLAN

- The Governing Bodies are preparing a 'Federation Plan' that will address the following:
 - What might change?
 - What will stay the same?
 - What will the Federation be called?
 - What structure will the Federation have?
 - Will there be any financial implications on Federating?

PROCESS AND TIMESCALES



NEXT STEPS

Draft Plan to be circulated formally in March/April 2018

This presentation will be available on the school websites

Feedback is welcome – forms available or by email

Governors are available now to discuss

Any Questions?