



Dear Parents/carers,

We have been exceptionally pleased to welcome Year 7 into the academy and have been impressed with how well they have adapted to our new way of working at this strange time. We would like to take the opportunity to thank you for your ongoing support of the academy during these unprecedented times.

We understand how important it is that you receive updates from us regarding your child's progress, attainment and wellbeing and are keen to ensure you receive timely information. Given our current restrictions, our year team will predominately be communicating with you via E-mail and virtual meetings using Microsoft Teams.

We also understand how important it is to continue our tradition of communicating with Year 7 parents through our Settling in evenings. We aim to continue this tradition of supporting our students through their first year by offering a Virtual Settling in Evening. This adaptation of our usual event will be much the same, we will go over some of the achievements of Year 7 in the few short weeks they have been with us, let you know key dates for your diaries and update you on any changes we have/ will be making to Mayfield. There will also be a chat bar open for parents to ask questions to the Tutor, Head of Year, Assistant head of Year and SLT link.

These online meetings will take place week beginning Monday 12th October. With different tutor groups meeting on different days. We will be sending an invite out to your email address with a link for you to join the Teams Meeting relevant for your Childs tutor group. The following times and dates have been arranged:

Monday 12th October

5pm – Red
6pm – Orange

Tuesday 13th October

6pm - Yellow

Wednesday 14th October

5pm – Green
6pm – Blue

Thursday 15th October

5pm – Indigo
6pm - Violet

We look forward to sharing with you the exciting news and achievements that we have experienced in our Year 7 bubble so far!

Kind regards,

Billy Grindley
Head of Year 7

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Assistant Principal

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