

Tuesday 9 June 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope this finds you and your families well. I write with further information about your child joining Wootton Academy Trust in September.

A video giving further information about what to expect at Wootton Upper School is going live on our website on Friday. I would encourage you and your child to spend some time browsing the content. We have now finalised the timetable and staff at your child's current school are supporting us in arranging the very best combination of children in each form group. We will be able to share this information with you by the end of June.

Next week we are running meetings with a number of families. These meetings are based on information we have gathered from your child's current school and are intended to support us in working together. There are a variety of reasons your child may have been selected for a meeting including medical needs, being new to the area or an identified barrier to learning. If you do not receive an invitation, but would like to meet remotely with a senior member of staff then you will be able to do so from 24th June. We will share with you how to do this next week.

We continue to monitor our dedicated email address: y9transition@wootton.beds.sch.uk. It is the quickest way to contact us with queries and comments and we can then respond directly to you. Some questions have been asked about uniform for September. This is covered in the presentation that will be on our website. We are unable to provide sample blazers for sizing as we would usually, however our supplier is currently delivering and is able to accept returns.

Do also feel free to access the resources on our website by clicking on Distance Learning Resources. You will be able to see the weekly student bulletin and assemblies, as well as the tasks and enrichment activities being set for our students.

Finally, thank you to all of you who have completed the electronic new intake form. If you have not yet completed this can you do so as soon as possible by clicking here: <https://www.woottonupper.co.uk/new-intake-2020-2021> and completing the New Intake Form.

Yours sincerely

Mr M Gleeson

Executive Principal