

9th March 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Year 6 Welcome Letter

I am delighted to be writing to you and would like to formally welcome your son/daughter to Oak Academy.

Choosing a place for secondary education can be a difficult decision and as Principal, I remain utterly proud of the achievements of all our students, and am privileged that you have chosen us to help shape, guide and support your son/daughter over the next 5 years to be the best they can be.

At Oak Academy we really do believe that High Expectations lead to High Achievers, a view shared by Ofsted in recent inspections and through feedback from our students, their parents, and our wider community.

97% of parents would recommend Oak Academy to other families – Ofsted Parent View 02.03.21

Feedback really does inform progress, and open communication between us is actively encouraged so that we can celebrate achievements and provide support when it is needed.

Although September seems a long way off, the process of transition has formally begun and we will write to you again shortly to provide a detailed welcome pack that includes all the key Academy information, registration and permissions forms you will need to ensure a smooth transfer from your current primary school.

I am proud to share that this year we have received another increase in both families choosing Oak Academy and those directed to us through the admissions process.

Although aimed at families who may not have visited Oak before, we will be publishing a welcome presentation and overview video this Friday, 12th March. We are currently restricted on hosting live, onsite events but do know that as soon as we are able, you will be invited to a formal welcome event in order for us to go through the process of transition together.

This is very much a 2-way process - please do contact us should you have any questions regarding transfer at any point between now and September, we're here to help!

Once again, I am delighted that your family will soon be joining our community and give best wishes for a positive and productive summer term.

Yours faithfully



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