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### Primary Transition Update

Now that SAT's are over, we are writing to welcome you to the start of the transition process. We are very excited to meet you and welcome you to Nunthorpe Academy. A huge thankyou to everyone who has already submitted admissions forms. It is greatly appreciated. We currently have over 75% of total forms submitted to the academy and would ask that, if you have not had the chance to complete this yet, you do at your earliest convenience. You can access this on the academy website via the 'Join Us' and 'Primary Transition' tabs at the top of the page.

For people who have already submitted this important piece of administration, there is nothing else that you currently need to do. Please be rest assured, the academy have received your admissions form and will be in touch with your child's current primary school if more information is needed. In the meantime, please look at the attached 'Moving Up' guide for more information on how to support your child throughout the coming months; taking additional note of the 'Welcome to Nunthorpe' and 'Transition' tabs on the academy website for important updates as and when required. The weeklong transition programme will be taking place at Nunthorpe from **Monday 7th July 2025 – Friday 11th July 2025**. More information will follow with regards to what students will need to bring in the near future.

Across the coming weeks we will be completing visits to your child's primary school, speaking with their Y6 teacher and gaining more information regarding them, their likes, interests and academic ability. Additionally, we will also have the chance to establish the expectations that we have as an academy, whilst also providing your child with the chance to talk to current students and meet their new pastoral manager. Such information will allow us to make the most effective groups and sets for the different subjects across the academy. Please note, we cannot make any assurances that your child will be placed in a group with all the members in their friendship group; the students will be placed in up to five separate groups across the year at the academy, based on academic progress.

Recent parent/carers communication has been received relating to the uniform supplier for the academy. Since the closure of Elizabeth's Embroidery, the trust has selected Michael Sehgal & Son's of Newcastle as the new supplier of our uniform. **Please note that you will not be required to travel to their warehouse to view uniform.** There will be the opportunity to peruse and purchase your child's uniform through a 'pop up' event closer to the time of admission to the academy.

If you need support with this, please don't hesitate to contact us via the transition email address, [transition@nunthorpe.co.uk](mailto:transition@nunthorpe.co.uk)

Aside from this, we would like to take the opportunity to wish your child the very best as they enter their final half term at primary school. We look forward to officially welcoming them to Nunthorpe, in a matter of weeks.

Yours sincerely,



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