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Dear Parent/Carer

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Primary to Secondary Transition 2021

I hope my letter finds you and your family well and that the events of recent months have not proved too challenging for you. There is no doubt that for Year 6 children the circumstances surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic have come at a difficult time and we really hope that we can provide support and reassurance to help you and them look forward to the next stage of their academic journey.

I am delighted that your child will be attending Hindley High School in September, and whilst this is not an ordinary year, please be assured that we are doing everything we can to ensure as smooth a transition from primary school to secondary school as possible, and we are keen to work with you to minimise any stress or anxiety this change for your child may create.

We really do understand that this is a big change for you and your child and you may have a number of queries about what the curriculum will look like, what their timetable will involve, how your son or daughter should wear their uniform, or what our expectations are in terms of behaviour. We are working on ways of ensuring you can easily have the answers to any questions you may have – and I can absolutely assure you, we want exactly the same as you: the very best for your child. Going forward, there will be a number of ways we make information available to you and we will provide you with all the information you need in the coming weeks but please be assured that we want exactly the same as you: the very best for your child.

In order to start the 'process' of transition we need you to provide us with information regarding your child. Completing the data capture form should take no longer than 10 minutes. You will be required at the start of the form to enter your child's Student Reference Number, which can be found below, to enable us to verify your identity. The form will take you through a series of questions. While possible to complete on a mobile phone, it would be advisable to access the form on a tablet or computer.

To access the form, please: <https://forms.gle/yJ6HXUncZ2WgZHM77>

Your child's OGAT

Student Reference Number:

Please ensure you complete all sections of the form and do so by **Monday 24th May 2021**. If you have any issues please contact: transition@hindleyhs.wigan.sch.uk



We are also working closely with your child's Primary school to collate the information we need to provide the best possible education for your child when they start with us at Hindley High School. As part of this transition process we will be regularly updating the Y6 transition page of our website.

This can be found at www.hindleyhs.wigan.sch.uk. This page will include a vast range of information regarding the transition process.

We are striving to provide the very best transition experience for your child so that they are confident and prepared to begin their secondary education. We will provide the information and resources you need to ensure a smooth transition and will keep you updated through a variety of platforms throughout the process.

Yours faithfully



Grace Westwood
Deputy Headteacher