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Dear Parent/Carer

As the summer term commences our thoughts turn very much to the transition of the Year 6 students and ensuring that they, and you, are as prepared as possible for the next stage in their education. I have therefore outlined below some key information and dates.

Student Transition Document: To ensure your child has a successful transition we do need your support in providing us with some essential information and request that within the next 7 days you complete our on-line transition document. It is essential that this document is completed as this will not only provide AGS with necessary information needed before your child starts with us but, will also, give us contact details where we can send information that is personally relevant to you and your child. **Your child will not be able to attend the Induction Week if the form is not completed and submitted.**

To complete the form:

- Access the Transition page at <http://www.acklamgrange.org.uk/transition> or scan the QR code at the bottom over page.
- Click on Transition Documents
- Click on Transition form
- Follow the instructions to register for an account (there is a 'how to' video that talks you through this step, if needed). You need an account before you can complete the transition document.
- Once you have registered you will be sent an email with a link to complete the transition form.
- Log in and complete the form.

Any questions or issues then please email Y6parent@acklamgrange.org.uk

AGS Transition Webpage: To support your child's transition we have set up a dedicated Year 6 transition area on our school website. We will be constantly updating this page with relevant information including our Welcome Booklet that details a wide range of important information. We would urge you and your child to access this webpage on a regular basis at <http://www.acklamgrange.org.uk/transition>.

Induction Week: Induction week will run from Tuesday 9th July to Friday 12th July 2024

- Students can arrive from 8am, free breakfast is available. All students should be in school by 8.30am. Entry to the school is via the Lodore Grove student entrance, where they will be greeted by a member of staff. Students will also leave via the Lodore Grove side of school at 3.00pm.
- Please ensure that your child wears their primary school uniform during the induction days and that sensible shoes are worn. They may wear trainers if these are allowed in their primary school. Please remember that jewellery and/or make-up must not be worn.
- Students will take part in a range of activities such as drama and PE, we therefore ask that a PE kit is brought into school each day.
- Students will be provided with a school meal each day, which is paid for by Acklam Grange School. However, students are welcome to bring a packed lunch if this is preferred. We recommend that your child brings a bottle of water each day but please be aware that we do not allow fizzy drinks.

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Year 6 Parent/Carer evening. Our Parent/Carer information evening will be held on Thursday 11th July 2024 from 6.00-8.00pm. There will be a presentation for Parent/Carers by myself and the opportunity to meet with your child's Form Tutor and Year Leader. This is an extremely important event where we will discuss school procedures and answer many questions; as such we would strongly encourage parental attendance. Due to restrictions on seating, we would ask that you do not bring your child with you on this occasion.

Parent/Carers of children who will require support in school will have the opportunity to meet the school SENCO at an additional evening and details about this event will be sent out separately.

Communication between AGS and primary schools: During the next few months the AGS Transition Team will be in contact with Year 6 teachers to gather helpful transition information.

I hope this letter has answered any questions that you may have and please do not hesitate to contact Mrs King our Assistant Headteacher responsible for transition on Y6parent@acklamgrange.org.uk if you do have any questions. To keep up to date with everything that is happening at the school please follow the school on Facebook and Twitter (details at the bottom of this letter) to see all the exciting and fun activities awaiting your child at Acklam Grange.

We hope that your child enjoys their time with us, and we look forward to working in partnership with you over the next five years. **Please remember to complete the Student Transition Form and submit it within 7 days of receipt of this letter.**

Yours sincerely



Mr M Laidler
Headteacher

