

March 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

We would like to extend a warm welcome to you and your child as they join Huxlow Academy. We are excited to start this journey with you and hope that the years that your child will spend here will be both happy and memorable. The ambition of the Pastoral Team is that every student leaves the school a confident, successful and responsible young adult.

You will have received a letter confirming a place for your son/daughter at Huxlow Academy from September 2023. We would like to invite all Year 6 pupils who will be joining us in September to attend our Transition Events on **Thursday** 6<sup>th</sup> July and Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July.

Starting in a secondary school will fill you and your child with a mixture of emotions. These can range from excitement to worry – all of which are normal. We hope that confidence is gained quickly from a successful transition and that all students will settle with ease within a short space of time. At Huxlow Academy, we pride ourselves on providing our new students and parents with a smooth and successful transition from primary school to secondary school.

We invite students in for a 2-day transition experience. It is an opportunity for pupils to experience life at secondary school, to meet new friends and have a 'practice-run' before September. It will also help to address any concerns they, and you, may have and give them confidence before they start their new school.

## **Uniform Event**

We will be holding a uniform event from 3pm -7pm on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2023 in the school hall. Karl Sports will be available with uniform for your child to try on for size. You will be able to place your uniform order so that it is delivered in time for your child to start with us in September.

You will be able to purchase ties directly from Huxlow Academy through Wisepay. Details will follow shortly concerning this and other important information.

If you would like to come and look around the school during the working day, please contact our Reception who will be able to offer you some availabilities after the Easter break.

We look forward to welcoming you and your child into the Huxlow Academy community where our core values of **Ambition, Pride** and **Respect** are central to everything we do.

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