



Monday 4th May 2020

Dear parents/guardians

Welcome to the Dane Court Grammar School community. We are all absolutely delighted that your child will be joining us in September.

Transition

It's definitely an unusual and challenging time at the moment, and we know you and your child might be feeling especially nervous about the transition into Year 7. Although we have had to discard our carefully prepared plans for transition, we'll do everything possible to ensure that our new students feel comfortable and confident when the time finally comes for them to join us.

As I write, we don't know when we'll be able to open the school fully, but we'll contact you as soon as the situation changes. If we open at some point during this summer term, one of our first priorities will be to invite your child into school for some exciting transition events. In the meantime, we'll email you the handbook for new Year 7 students. This contains all the practical information you'll need. You will also be sent a parent information pack, which includes details on uniform and PE kit, over the next few weeks

Additional information about your child

If there is any specific information pertaining to your child that you think we should know before he/she starts at Dane Court, please e-mail Mr Sunderland (Assistant Headteacher) or Mrs Ives (Pastoral Support Officer): sunderland@danecourt.kent.sch.uk or ives@danecourt.kent.sch.uk

If you have any specific information relating to SEND, please also copy in our special educational needs co-ordinator, Mrs Holmes: holmes@danecourt.kent.sch.uk

We look forward to connecting with you over the next term as we prepare to start a fantastic year in September.

Kind regards,

Martin Jones
Head of School