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Ms Jo Hawkin
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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: New Intake 2021-22 - Year 6 Transition

As you will be aware the announcement made by the government on Monday evening informed us of the delay in stage four of easing lockdown measures. We have taken some time to consider the impact of this on our transition day and unfortunately, we are unable to run this as an in-person event due to the nature of the restrictions that are still in place nationally. This is the case across all secondary schools on Carlisle, and whilst we are extremely disappointed not to welcome our incoming Year 7 students into the building, we are hopeful that the materials and information provided within our Transition to Trinity webpage will allow parents and students to get a feel for the school, its staff and the fantastic range of opportunities and support on offer. We will also undertake extra activities with students in September to ensure a smooth start.

Our Year 7 team continue to liaise with primary colleagues, and we are in the process of organising form groups for next year, based on the pastoral and academic information that we have been given from primary schools. We also consider 'working groups' where students work particularly well together, more information regarding this will follow in due course.

We have also held Zoom meetings between Ms Constant and the Year 6 students and Primary schools, this was a great opportunity for our new students to speak to their new Head of Year and ask questions to current Year 7 students. Further videos, a school tour and subject information and activities can be found on the Transition to Trinity webpage which we will launch on the 5 July.

Despite the induction day not going ahead, we do still plan to hold a virtual parents evening on the 5 July, this will be an online appointment to meet with your child's new form tutor, and an opportunity to ask any questions you may have. Details of how to book onto the system will follow once the form groups have been finalised.

Should you have any specific concerns about your child's transition to secondary school, please do contact us at transition@trinity.cumbria.sch.uk and keep an eye out for us on Twitter @TrinSchCarlisle for the latest updates and news of what's happening in our school community.

Yours faithfully

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