Good morning

I hope you and your staff are well.

I am delighted that pupils from your school have been allocated a place in Year 7 at Hessle High School and Sixth Form College starting in September. Whilst the children are still very much 'yours' and have many months of exciting activities to look forward to, we will now begin to communicate with them, and their families on a regular basis to prepare them for Year 7. This letter informs you of what that transition will look like.

Last week I wrote to all the families to introduce myself and to welcome them to our school community. We are sending them a weekly communication by email which will provide them with snippets of information about life at Hessle High School; this will include uniform, transport, curriculum, pastoral care, catering etc. During this time, our Transition Coordinator, Miss Pinkney, will be contacting schools to learn more about the children, and hopefully to arrange to meet them in school. Where appropriate, our SENDCo, Mrs Anderson, will also be in touch.

At all times, we will be responsive to any questions or concerns that families have so please feel free to direct them to contact us – 01482 648604 or office@hessleacademy.com

All this activity culminates in our Transition Week, which will take place across three days in the penultimate week of term, Wednesday 9 July to Friday 11 July.

Attendance over these three days will provide an opportunity for the children to visit their new school, meet the staff and students and get a taste of day-to-day life in our school. I sincerely hope that all our future Year 7 students will be able to attend, and I appreciate your support in facilitating this.

I will shortly be writing to parents informing them of these dates and will also be sending them a copy of our 'Parent Guide' which provides the answers to many of the questions that they often face during this time.

In the meantime, I wish you and your staff best wishes for the remainder of the Academic Year.

Kind regards
Mr V Groak
Headteacher