



Dear Parents/Carers

I hope everyone had a wonderful Summer, spent plenty of time enjoying the sunshine and that your child/children are feeling well rested and excited for another year at The Emmbrook School. I cannot quite believe that my lovely year group are heading into their fourth year with us. Year 10 is always an exciting year as it is the first time pupils get to study their chosen subjects in a little more depth; it is nice that they will feel a little more ownership of their timetable, having chosen four of the subjects themselves. As well as their chosen subjects it is also an exciting time in terms of their core subjects (Maths, English and Science) where they will begin looking at the GCSE syllabus.

Year 10 also brings even more opportunities for your child; there will be more trips for them to attend, work experience to look forward to at the end of the year as well as some mock interview days. Having been a Head of Year for some time the transition from Year 9 to Year 10 always seems the biggest. Not only are they transferring from Key Stage Three to Key Stage Four but they also seem to grow the most over that Summer. I really am so excited to see them all on Wednesday and cannot wait to see what this year holds for them; I am sure they will take everything in their stride and grasp all the opportunities that are offered to them.

As always, if you have any problems, questions or queries please do not hesitate to get in contact with myself or their tutor. Our tutor team remains largely the same, the only difference being that Miss Donovan (9F) left us at the end of the last academic year. It gives me great pleasure, however, to welcome Mr Simmons as the new tutor of 10F – he has experience with our year group already; having worked with 9A whilst he was completing his initial teacher training with us last year. Please find below a list of each tutor and their email should you need this in the future.

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Best Wishes

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