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June 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

A very warm welcome to Oasis Academy Brislington

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to Oasis Academy Brislington. We are really excited that your child has been offered a place at our Academy. Entrusting a school with your child's education is a very difficult and important decision to make and we would like to assure you that Oasis Academy Brislington remains an excellent choice.

At Oasis Academy Brislington we expect our students to *'Work Hard. Look Smart. Be Nice.'* In return, we will support, challenge and care for your son/daughter to help him/her to achieve his/her potential academically, personally and socially. Essentially, we are offering your child the chance to learn not just how to do his/her best in lessons but also to be the best version of himself/herself and to make positive choices about all aspects of his/her life. You only get one chance at an education and we take seriously the fact that you have chosen to learn with us.

We have enclosed with this letter a Student Information Sheet which we would like you to complete and return via email if possible (info@oasisbrislington.org). There are also a number of other admissions documents that we will require you to complete and we hope to send these out to you when the Academy re-opens to students.

So, what happens next?

We are already in touch with your child's class teachers at primary school to find out more about them.

Our induction day usually takes place at the beginning of July where students are given the opportunity to come into school, meet new friends and get a general taster of what life at secondary school is like. Students are also assessed via NGRT (New Group Reading Test) for reading and comprehension skills which helps us to place them in appropriate groups for the September start.

At this stage and given the COVID_19 situation we are exploring ways of providing a Virtual Transition Day for all Year 6 students. We will use the information provided by your child's primary school on their ability in English to create our Tutor Groups for September 2020. Even with these processes in place we know that we will need to support students with a thorough induction process if and when they are able to come onto the academy site in September 2020.

Principal - Peter Knight

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I am sorry at this time not to be able to provide more detail but we will keep you informed as the situation becomes clearer.

You can also find out more about what's happening at Oasis Academy Brislington by visiting www.oasisacademybrislington.org.

Congratulations on being offered a place at Oasis Academy Brislington; we look forward to working with both you and your son/daughter over the coming years to support him/her to be the absolute best he/she can be!

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "PKnight". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Peter Knight
Principal