

3<sup>rd</sup> March 2026

Dear Parent / Carer

I am delighted that your child will be joining us at Knutsford Academy in September 2026.

We are excited to welcome your child and your family, and I want you to know that you will be part of a vibrant and caring school community where every child is valued and supported. We are here to help your child on every step on their academic journey with us. We were heavily oversubscribed again this year, having over 445 applications for our 230 places.

Knutsford Academy is proud to offer academic excellence and world class opportunities allowing our students to achieve their full potential as successful learners and responsible young people. Our school values of 'Ambition, Respect and Kindness' create a nurturing, supportive and inclusive environment ensuring that your child will thrive.

I look forward to welcoming you in person to the **New Intake Parents' Evening** at our Westfield Drive Campus on **Thursday 18th June 2026**. This will begin at 5.00pm and last for approximately an hour. You will hear all about what life will be like for your child in Year 7, including the curriculum they will study, how we structure teaching and learning at Knutsford and what a typical school day looks like. There will be an opportunity to speak to the Head of Year and the Senior Leadership Team at the event. Children are not expected at this event, as they will attend our Year 6 Transition Day.

Our experienced transition team will soon begin the process of visiting your child's primary school and your child is invited to attend our **Transition Day on Thursday 9th July 2026**. This is an opportunity for all students to experience a taster day at the school which will include meeting their form teachers, attending some subject lessons and enjoying breaktimes and lunchtimes with their new friends. The day will run from 9.00am until 3.10pm. Further details of this day will be communicated to you in due course. We will also be sending you electronic registration forms to complete.

I very much look forward to meeting you on Thursday 18th June.

Yours sincerely,



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