

Corby Business Academy

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Virtual Transition Day

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are writing to share further details with you about your child's transition to Corby Business Academy in these unusual times. Here at the Academy, we recognise that the more information we can provide for students, parents and carers, the smoother and less stressful the transition process will be.

Following the announcement that Brooke Weston Trust secondary schools would be unable to offer their usual transition arrangements, including a transition day, Corby Business Academy is pleased to inform you of the additional activities available for a virtual transition day on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2021.

- A Virtual Transition Day Video Delivered by Mr Hallam (Head of Year 7). As part of the video, Mr Hallam will give a tour of the first part of the building you will enter on your first day. You will also find out which tutor is linked to your tutor group (e.g. 7A) and they will introduce themselves in the video.
- Virtual lessons these lessons will be split into two blocks. We would like all students to work through one lesson from block A and one from block B. You will then complete a form to feedback how you found the lesson and what you enjoyed.
- There will be a personal profile sheet to fill in where you will be able to tell us a little about yourselves, such as your personal interests and hobbies as well what subjects you really enjoy or are looking forward to doing in secondary school.
- For those unable to access the virtual lessons, we will make subject work packs available via primary schools and the Academy website. These work packs support students with the transition from primary school work to the work completed in secondary school.

All of these activities will be available in the updated area on our Academy website, dedicated to Year 6 to 7 transition. This can be found using the link below:

## Corby Business Academy - Year 6 to 7 Transition

On Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2021, we will also be informing you which tutor group your child has been placed in via e-mail.

Thank you to those who have already signed up to the Parent App as this is the main way that we communicate with parents/carers. Do please contact us if you are having any problems with signing up for the app, we are here to help. You can contact us on email: enquiries@corbybusinessacademy.org or phone 01536 303120.

If you have any queries about any of this information, please do not hesitate to contact our Assistant Principal, Ms Heather Thompson via email: <a href="mailto:yearsevenadmissions@corbybusinessacademy.org">yearsevenadmissions@corbybusinessacademy.org</a>

Yours sincerely

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