

Academy Way Gretton Road Corby Northants NN17 5EB

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Principal: Simon Underwood

23rd May 2023

Year 6 into 7 Transition Information

Dear Parent / Carer,

Following the allocation of secondary school places for Year 6 students, we are delighted to welcome your child to Corby Business Academy in September 2023. We would also like to take this opportunity to thank you for choosing Corby Business Academy as one of your preferences for your child.

Here at the Academy, we aim to make your child's transition from primary to secondary school as smooth as possible and will endeavour to keep you well informed about the next steps as they develop.

In the summer term, a teacher from Corby Business Academy will arrange to visit each of our feeder schools and introduce themselves to the children joining us in September. During the visit, they will explain to the children what to expect when they start at the Academy and meet with their teachers to ensure important information is shared.

There are some aspects you can start organising in preparation for when your child starts at the Academy. If your child needs to travel to school via bus, you will need to apply for a bus pass. This is done online through North Northamptonshire Council website;

School travel assistance

To help decide the bus number and route please view the '2022-2023 Bus Timetable' document found on our website;

Bus Timetable

We also recommend checking with the council for any planned updates.

If you are in receipt of benefits or universal credit, your child may be entitled to pupil premium funding and free school meals. Details and how to apply can be found on the North Northamptonshire Council website;

Pupil premium

To support students' transition to Year 7, we also ask that new students complete a questionnaire. Students are able to tell us a bit about themselves and how they feel about joining Corby Business Academy as well as being able to select the names of two people they work well with and we will try to keep them with someone they know in their tutor group. Please complete the student questionnaire via the link below by Friday 16th June 2023;

Student questionnaire



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We are excited to once again be able to offer a Transition Day for students which will be held on Friday 14th July 2023. Parents and carers will have the opportunity of meeting key staff members for Year 7 on Tuesday 4th July 2023 at 5.30 p.m. Further details of both events will be shared with you nearer to the time.

We would like to encourage all parents and carers of students joining us in Year 7 to visit the Transition Page of the Academy website <u>www.corbybusinessacademy.org</u> to explore the wider range of exciting activities taking place. You can also follow us on Twitter @CorbyBusinessAc and Facebook @CorbyBusinessAcademy for regular updates on academy life.

If you have any queries about any of this information, please do not hesitate to contact us via email: <u>yearsevenadmissions@corbybusinessacademy.org</u>.

Yours sincerely

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