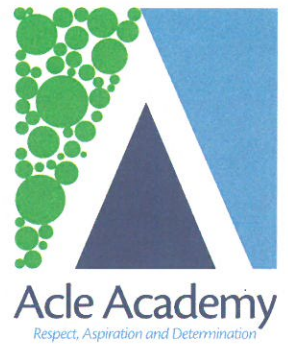


20th March 2020



Dear Parents and Carers of Year 6 Children

We appreciate and understand that this is very difficult time for families and children. The nation is facing unprecedented times. As schools, we have all had to respond rapidly to the ever changing advice.

We understand that many of your children will be feeling anxious and worried at this time, especially considering the prospect that they may not return to primary school. I would like to take this opportunity to inform you that if your child is transferring to Acle Academy in September, we will do all that we can to ensure a smooth transition.

We will work closely with your primary school to ensure we have all the information we need to help your child cope with the process and be placed in forms with friendship groups. We will ensure we know your child's strengths and areas that need extra support so that they can hit the ground running in September.

If you have any particular concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to contact our school office on 01493 750431 or email info@acle.norfolk.sch.uk

If your child is feeling anxious, please contact our engage team who will be able to offer support and advice; engage@acle.norfolk.sch.uk. Nelson's Journey- a support service for children, is also offering additional support to help children deal with anxiety of fears concerning the current pandemic- please email <http://www.nelsonsjourney.org.uk/coronavirus-anxiety/> for further support.

The next few weeks will bring uncertainty and worry for all families. We do not want transition to Acle Academy to be part of that.

If we can help in any way, please feel free to contact us.

We look forward to working with you in the future and wish your family good health, strength and courage over the coming weeks.

Yours sincerely

Mrs H Watts
Principal