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15th June 2021

Dear Student / Parent / Carer

I am writing to you today to let you know that regrettably, as a result of the government's announcement last night on the extension of Covid-19 restrictions, it will not be possible to hold our intended in-person open day for year 6 students on Wednesday, 7th July, or our open evening for parents on that day. This is a shame, but I do hope you understand that due to the continued restrictions it would not be feasible to hold this event at this point.

In response to the continued restrictions, we now intend to hold further online meetings with all of our year 6 students at their current primary schools, so that they are able to ask any further questions they may have. I will arrange times for these meetings with each primary transition contact teacher to ensure that your son or daughter can meet with both myself, Mr Wassell (Head of Year 7) and Mrs Poddington (Assistant Head of Year 7) over the coming weeks. I will also invite current year 7 students whom your son or daughter may know from their own primary school, so that they can ask any questions on life at Netherhall School.

To further support with year 6 students' transition and to help in building our school community, there will be an optional year 6 summer school during the 4th and 5th weeks of this year's summer holidays (the weeks beginning Monday, 9th August and Monday, 16th August). During the optional year 6 transition summer school, sessions will be available in a variety of activities, and at this point, we are looking for expressions of interest from year 6 students to take part in the sessions to be offered; students' can attend sessions throughout the 2-week summer school or on days and times of their choosing. If you could indicate if your child would be interested in attending any of the activities being offered, then please indicate this on the link below, so that we are able to put together a full plan of activities and times for you to sign up to in the coming weeks:

[Year 6 Transition Summer School Activities – Expression of interest.](#)

As a result of the delayed unlocking of Covid-19 restrictions, it is likely that we will now hold our induction day for new year 7 students on the first day of the autumn term, on Thursday 2nd September, when there will only be new year 7 and year 12 students in school. We also intend to hold our open evening for new year 7 parents on that evening.

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I would like to close by letting you know that I will be in touch again very shortly with our final transition arrangements, with the full timetable of summer school activities, with details of your son or daughter's tutor group, lunchtime payment and information for the start of the new academic year. In the meantime, if you have any queries, then please do not hesitate to get in contact with me by email at m.bailey@netherhall.cumbria.sch.uk but for now, my very best wishes to you all.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "M. D. Bailey". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath the name.

Mr M D Bailey
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