

13th July 2024

Dear Year 5 Students,

RE: Bexhill Academy

We hope this letter finds you well as you prepare for your final year of primary school. As we approach the end of the academic year, we wanted to take a moment to briefly introduce ourselves to you and make our first contact before you break for the summer.

Bexhill Academy is proud to serve the community as a community school. While we help every student to find their individual talents and strengths, our mission is simple. We put learning at the heart of everything that we do so that we can create the very best opportunities for each and every one of you.

Some of you will know the school already as we are involved in your schooling from Year 5, with our offer of Year 5 Masterclasses. Not everyone will have had the chance to attend one of our Masterclasses but throughout the year we aim to see as many of you as we can. We would like to extend our sincerest thanks to those of you who participated in masterclass sessions. Your exemplary behavior and engagement were truly commendable, and you represented your schools with great credit. These qualities are exactly what we hope for in Bexhill Academy students.

The Masterclasses were a great way for you to get a taste of what learning at our school is like and we trust that you found the sessions on volcano disaster planning in Geography, novel writing in English, clay sculpture creation in Art, ensemble performances in Music, trampolining and athletics in PE, and mathematically-driven race car building in DT both enjoyable and educational.

We are delighted to inform you that the transition year for our upcoming Year 6 students has been supportive, fun, and educative. We have had fantastic feedback and the students have shown remarkable readiness to take on the challenges and opportunities that await them in September. We believe that consistent contact and support from the school allows for a seamless transition and allows you to have the best start to your secondary school journey. We invite you to browse our website, specifically the Transition section before September to gain some initial insight into what we offer. <https://www.bexhillacademy.org/page/?title=Transition&pid=74>

As we approach the summer break, we encourage you to take this opportunity to discuss our detailed transition program with your parents/carers and pupils in your primary school playground before they embark on school life at our Academy. We are confident that you will find these conversations informative and reassuring as you prepare for Bexhill Academy to be a contender in your future.

Furthermore, we would like to let you know that our Year 6 Open Evening, will take place on the 26th of September 2024. More information regarding this event will be provided in September. This evening will give you and your parents valuable insight into the vibrant and supportive community that awaits you at Bexhill Academy.

In the meantime, we wish you all a fantastic summer filled with relaxation, enjoyment, and preparation for the exciting challenges that lie ahead.

We look forward to welcoming you as part of our local community in September.

Kind Regards,



Dr Craig Neal
Headteacher