

BXG/SOL

April 2021

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s)

Welcome to Yardleys School. I am Mr. Tilley, Head of Year 7, and I look forward to working with you and your child to ensure that they make a smooth transition to Yardleys School.

**Please find enclosed a number of forms for you to read and complete as indicated:**

Personal Data:

- Student Details
- Student Medical Details

Consent Forms:

- Appendix A – Medication Consent Form
- Appendix B – Free School Meals Application Form
- Appendix C – Consent Form for School Visits and other Off-Site Activities
- Appendix D – General Data Protection Regulation Consent Form
- Appendix E – Internet User Agreement

It is important for you to **return the Student Application Pack by POST ONLY in the pre-paid envelope by Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2021** so we can have accurate information about your child in preparation for next year and can contact you should we need to.

**Failure to return all forms will result in your child not being able to use the internet at school, not being allowed to go on school trips and not having free school meals if entitled when they join Yardleys School.**

**Induction Day/Induction Evening:**

**We have scheduled an Induction Day for the 7<sup>th</sup> July 2021, and we are hoping to be able to run a normal Induction Day programme in school. However, given the uncertainty surrounding the ending of the current Covid-19 restrictions, this event may have to be cancelled or altered.**

**Unfortunately, due to Covid restrictions, we will not be holding our regular Induction Evening, but we will ensure that you have a chance to speak with your child's form tutor, and obtain all of the required information needed to ensure your child has a smooth start to secondary school in September.**

**We will also have a special Year 7 information link/ page with useful information on our school website will be made viewable towards the end of June.**

Please note you do not need to purchase a Yardleys School Rucksack or PE Bag as these will be given to Year 7 students on the first day of term.

You will receive another letter towards the end of this academic year with further updates, however if you have any questions please email: [Susan.O'Loughlin@yardleys.bham.sch.uk](mailto:Susan.O'Loughlin@yardleys.bham.sch.uk)

Yours sincerely

*Mr B. Tilley*

Head of Year 7 – 2021 Cohort