The Bewdley School Stourport Road Bewdley Worcestershire DY12 1BL Tuesday 7th July 2020

Dear Year 7 pupil,

My name is Matthew and I am just finishing Year 7 at The Bewdley School. I am writing to you to tell you about what to expect when you start school in September and some of the things that you can look forward to.

On your first day in Year 7, you will have the school to yourselves as a year group. I found that this was a really good start to the year as the rest of the students were not at school and so Year 7 students could explore everything freely. You will meet your friends on the tennis courts and your form tutor will then take you to your classroom. Your form tutor will be your main point of contact if you have any worries or questions. You will have most of your lessons with your form group so you will get to know this group of people really well.

The biggest difference between Primary and Secondary school is that you have to change class rooms for each lesson. There are six lessons in the day and there is a five-minute movement time between each lesson so you don't have to rush and worry that you will be late. It is easy to find where your lessons are as you are given a map to follow. Each lesson on your timetable has a letter that tells you which 'block' to go to and then you can find the room number in that block. There is always someone from your form group with you in every lesson so you don't have to arrive alone.

I have enjoyed everything about The Bewdley School this year but the best bits have been joining the Samba drumming group in Music, making new friends with the same interests as me, performing with the drumming group in a school concert, going on an Outdoor Pursuits day with my form group, learning French and going to Film Club after school.

I know that you will have a brilliant time when you come to The Bewdley School next year. I am certain that you will enjoy lots of new experiences and make lots of new friends.

Best wishes,

Matthew