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Dear Parent/Carer,

### Year 7 Pathway

As you will be aware, over the last two weeks we have been testing all pupils in year 7. Finding out as much about each pupils' academic profile and performance is particularly important this year as pupils did not complete SATs at the end of Year 6 last year.

We now have this information so we can place your child in a pathway which, at this point in time, will help them make the most progress as they go through the school. The two gateways your child will be placed into will be the Elevate or Ambition pathway. In both pathways, pupils follow the same broad and balanced curriculum in which they are stretched and challenged. By selecting pathways in this way, we are able to make class sizes smaller and offer more bespoke support where it is needed. It may be that your child is in different pathways depending on the subject.

Each child in year 7 will be given a new timetable on Monday with their new classes. The pathway your child is in for each subject is reviewed each half term.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Fugill  
Vice Principal