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Dear Parent/Guardian,

I am delighted to be able to write to you to congratulate you on securing a place for your child at Settle College from September 2023.

We now consider you and your child as part of the Settle College family and we will all aim to support you in whatever way we can. I and all staff are very much looking forward to meeting you all in July. On Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July, your child will come to Settle College for a transition day. Our new students will be engaged in a variety of activities, including: Assembly, Tour of the School, Sample Lessons, and a chance to show us what has been learned at Primary School. More details of the transition day will be sent closer to the date. Additionally, we will have a Transition evening, Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm, when parents and guardians will be invited to the school. During this evening, your child will have an opportunity to meet their form tutor and new tutor group. While, parents and guardians will have a presentation on further information. A successful transition is vital in supporting all children in adapting to life in a secondary school.

Rest assured, there is a lot of work already undertaken by the college to ensure a smooth transition as possible. Work has already begun to collect information from our primary schools to help students with the move to secondary school.

We are currently updating our website to a new format. There will be a section within our website called 'Year 6 to 7 Transition'. This page on our website will also provide information, for example: a virtual tour, who is who, and the transition booklet. We are also excited to announce that we will be running our popular summer school in the summer holidays. More information will be provided soon so parents and guardians can sign up for the event.

We are looking forward to working with you closely in the future, to ensure that your child realises their ambition and potential. Should you have any questions, in the meantime please do not hesitate to contact us at school. Mrs Hopewell will be able to help with the majority of queries:

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I am delighted to have your child join us and look forward to meeting you all in the future.

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