



WEST GRANTHAM

Church of England Secondary Academy

1 April 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

I am delighted to learn that your child has been offered a place at The West Grantham Church of England Secondary Academy, and we look forward to welcoming them into Year 7.

We were thrilled to have been graded as Good with Outstanding features by Ofsted in January 2024 and if you haven't yet had opportunity to read the report, please visit our website where you will find the report in full: <https://www.wgacademy.org.uk/our-academy/ofsted-inspections/>. I am confident that you will find the academy is the right choice for your child's secondary education as a school that really does care for its students' needs, and I very much look forward to meeting you and welcoming you into our school community.

In the coming months we will be in regular contact with you to ensure that your child has a smooth transition from primary to secondary. As part of our transition programme, we hold the following meetings and events:

- Transition Days – Monday 30 June, Tuesday 1 July and Wednesday 2 July 2025
- Settling In Evening – September 2025

If you have any questions about your child's transition to the academy, you are welcome to come and speak with a member of our senior leadership team when you collect your child on Wednesday 2 July 2025.

Mrs Pendleton, Vice Principal Inclusion, will be arranging meetings with families of children with an EHCP and special educational needs. If you have not received an invite to a meeting with the Inclusion team and would like to have a conversation about your child's needs, please come and speak to the Inclusion team on Wednesday 2 July.

During the summer term, the senior leadership team will also be visiting your child's primary school as part of our transition programme. We will let you know which member of the team will be meeting your child and they will be your point of contact should you have any further questions before your child starts with us in September.

You will receive further information about these events later in the term, but if you have any questions in the meantime, please contact Julie Rickerby by email to office@wgacademy.org.uk or telephone on 01476 405200.

Enclosed with this letter is our application pack, containing admission forms and an information booklet. These should be returned to the academy when your child attends their transition days.

Yours faithfully

Clare Barber
Executive Principal