



# Samuel Ryder Academy

## Education for a changing world

25<sup>th</sup> June 2021

Dear New Year 7 Student

**Re: Welcome to Samuel Ryder Academy from the Head of Year 7**

My name is Mrs Hawkes and I will be your Head of Year at Samuel Ryder Academy.

The circumstances are rather unusual and challenging at the moment, and I know that you might be feeling worried about your transition from Year 6 into Year 7 this September. Therefore, I want to reassure you that all of us at Samuel Ryder Academy will be here for you every step of the way so that you have a positive and happy move.

We are very excited to welcome you into our school and to tell you more about what it is like to study here. I am sure that you are keen to know more about the lessons, the House system, the teachers and the rules at SRA. You also probably have many questions about the clubs, the extra-curricular activities and the opportunities on offer. I am looking forward to meeting you as soon I am able and telling you more about our school community and answering your questions.

Given the many challenges presented by the Covid-19 outbreak, we have adapted our normal Year 7 induction and transition procedures. We have prepared some information for you to watch and a booklet for you to fill in which should answer a lot of your questions. We will be sending details of these before too long.

We know that starting secondary school is a very important and exciting step in your school life and we will be there to support you along the way.

Kind regards

*E Hawkes*

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Head of Year 7



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