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Dear Year 3 pupil,

Congratulations on securing a place at Biddick Hall Junior School. I can imagine that you will have mixed feelings about coming to the junior school. Some of you may be filled with excitement whilst others may feel nervous about leaving the infant school.

My name is Mrs Collinson and I am Headteacher at Biddick Hall Junior School. I am writing this letter to introduce you to our school and give you a feel for what life will be like in Year 3 in an attempt to put your mind at rest and make you feel happy about coming to our school.

Firstly, I bet you are wondering what we have planned for you before September? In normal circumstances we would invite you to Biddick Hall Junior School for a transition morning where you would meet your teacher and we would usually have an information session with your parents. Due to the current situation, our transition programme will be virtual. We now have a dedicated area on our website where we will be sharing useful information.

I would like to give you a little flavour of what your school day may be like. Pupils are expected to arrive into school no later than 8.50 am to ensure they have time to get on the yard. You will then have two lessons and a break time before lunch. There is always a wide range of hot meals and salads on offer. You really will be spoiled for choice. After lunch there are two more lessons and a break before you head off home for the day.

Now that you have found out lots of information about our school, your teacher is keen to find out all about you. Write a reply to this letter, telling your tutor all about you:

You could include information on:

- Your family
- Your friends
- Your hobbies and interests.
- Your favourite things about school

- What you are most looking forward to about junior school.
- Any concerns you have about junior school.

Bring your reply to this letter along with you on your first day of school and hand it to your teacher who looks forward to reading your letter. We all look forward to meeting you in person very soon and welcoming you to our school.

Yours faithfully

Mrs. Collinson

Headteacher