



Dear Parent/Guardian,

July 2023

Re: Buildings and transition update

May I take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support this year as we near the end of the academic year. I will be sending out a letter next week with updates for the next academic year but until then please take this letter as a thank you for your partnership which we value so much.

This letter is to inform you that building work will soon commence at St Edward's and this building work is to extend our school classrooms.

Two extra classrooms in the form of luxurious modular classrooms will be located where the caretakers house is now. Land in front of the house will also be used and so will the garage.

Demolishing the existing buildings will start when we break up for the summer. The work is expected to be finished before we return.

Pupils return **Tuesday 5th September**.

The new classrooms will be home to the Year 6 pupils (current Year 5 pupils).

By building the two classrooms this will allow us to separate the Year 3 and Year 4 group. From September we will have two Year 3 classes and two Year 4 classes.

The Year 3 pupils will remain downstairs where they are now; Year 4 will join Year 5 upstairs.

As always, I will update you as it all progresses.

This is a very exciting opportunity for us, the pupils and you as parents and a thank you to NPCAT for agreeing to the plans.

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Later today, you will be informed of your child's new class teacher for the academic year **2023-2024**.

The three internal transition days for our pupils at St Edward's will commence on Wednesday through to Friday; I am absolutely sure the pupils will enjoy these days and hopefully it will provide a smooth and seamless transition into the next year group.

Our year 6 pupils have had or will have transition opportunities into Year 7 this week. I wish them all the very best for these visits to secondary school and look forward to hearing all about it when they return.

Until I write again next week, please take care.

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