



# BEVERLEY HIGH SCHOOL



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## Form changes – Year 8 into 9

Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope this letter finds you well and that you are looking forward to the summer ahead.

This year has been like no other and our staff and students have experienced an academic year that nobody could have imagined. I would first of all like to commend your child on their determination to succeed in their academic endeavours and also on their ability to cope with change with such maturity.

As we look ahead and start to plan for the new academic year, we have to think about how we, as a team of teachers and pastoral staff, can continue to best support your child with their schooling while also considering the impact of the previous year and any possible further constraints that need to be in place to ensure the health and safety of our staff and pupils. With that in mind, myself as Year Leader of years 8 & 9 along with Mrs Laven (Assistant Headteacher) and Ms Scott (Pastoral Manager) have decided to make some changes to the tutor groups as your child moves into Year 9.

We have therefore decided that students from 8B, D & N will be mixed up and those from 8S & W will too be mixed. This will allow students to further develop their friendships with some students from their current tutor group but also to forge new friendships with others. We have worked tirelessly as a team, seeking the advice from Form Tutors, Teaching Assistants and the wider Wellbeing Team to ensure that students are with those with whom they already have strong friendships with and with others who will help to create the best environment conducive to successful learning. We have considered a huge number of factors when placing students into new forms and believe that we have made the best decisions by the students.

Your child has been informed of these changes and the new tutor group that they will move into. Should you have any concerns about the changes made, please do not hesitate to get in touch and we will endeavour to find the best solution to rectify the concerns.

Yours sincerely

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