Hi Yr7s of 2020, just a quick message from Holly Leeder,

I’m going to tell you a little bit about the transition up to year 7 from my point of view as they are all different. I’m not going to lie to you and say that we don’t get barely any homework and we don’t do much work because that’s not reality. We do get quite a lot of homework so prepare yourself but don’t be threatened by it. All the work teachers set is on Firefly (which has been a life saver). It shows me what work I have got due in and when it needs doing by. All the work set on firefly you will understand, however if you fall into the hole of not understanding or forgetting (which believe me I have) how to do the work, you can email teachers and they will get back to you as soon as they can.

Hello from Secondary School

When you leave the primary school, you’re at it will be tough, however it will get easier, I promise. All the staff and students will help you through the transition so it will be easier. When you first walk through the school gates it will be tough as you will feel like the odd one out, but I’m telling you after 2-3 weeks of being at Chellaston Academy you feel a lot more natural here.

My best of luck for year 7,

Holly