

9<sup>th</sup> July 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Re: Induction Day**

We look forward to welcoming your children to Induction Day on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2019. We realise that this day is full of mixed emotions for most children and their parents. Please find below information on the organisation of the day to support this transition:

- Your child will need to be dropped off at school on the KS2 playground (from the side entrance via the footpath) at 8.45am, in their current school uniform. They will then be escorted to the hall with all the other new year 5 pupils.
- The pupils will be organised into their classes for September and will be taken to their classroom.
- A variety of activities will take place throughout the day including: circle time games, a tour of the school, a KS2 assembly and time to look at the 'Moving to Middle School' booklets brought from their first/primary school. All these activities have been designed to allow your child to feel happy and comfortable in their new school environment and give them chance to get to know their new teacher and other new pupils in the class.
- Break and lunch will take place on the KS2 playground. Please provide your child with a healthy snack for break time and a water bottle which will be needed throughout the day. At lunchtime your child will either need to bring a pack lunch or will have a meal from the school canteen (these needed to be pre-ordered by today).
- We would ask you to pick up your child at 3pm from the KS2 playground.

We hope your child will enjoy this day and leave feeling excited and ready for starting Parkside in September.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs R.Cox

KS2 Curriculum Manager