



Joy Lane Primary School

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Oyster Bay Nursery & Oysters SRP (ASD)

Executive Headteacher: Ms D J Hines

Head of School: Mr M Ashley-Jones

Dear Parents & Carers

Transfer to Secondary School

You may be aware that Secondary Schools are currently advertising their Open Days / Evenings which are primarily taking place during October.

Kent County Council's 'A Guide for Kent Parents' is enclosed for your attention and we strongly advise that you read this thoroughly so that you fully understand the process.

Applying for Secondary School is one of the most important decisions you will make with your child. The application process is open and **online applications must be completed by 31st October 2017**. Please refer to 'A Guide for Kent Parents' for information with regards to the application process.

I understand that some of you will be waiting for your child's Kent Test results before making a decision regarding Secondary School choices. However, it may be advisable to view all schools that you are interested in which are having their Open Days before the Kent Test assessment decisions are sent out.

Please check Secondary School websites for comprehensive details of open afternoons, evenings and individual tour information.

Please ensure you inform the School office if you are planning to take your child to an Open Morning or individual tour during the School day.

If you have any concerns or worries about making choices for your child then please do not hesitate to make an appointment with your child's Class Teacher or any member of the School Leadership Team.

Yours sincerely

M Ashley-Jones

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Head of School

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