



Executive Headteacher: Mrs S Murcott

Dear Parent/carer,

**Re: Resetting of all year groups on Friday**

Firstly, thank you for all the supportive comments that I've received since the news I am now here full time was announced. I'm incredibly proud to be part of Willenhall and able to help it on its journey to being the good school I know it can be.

As part of this I have been looking at the students within our teaching groups and they don't match the ability of some of our students. This means that some students are not accessing the work at the level they need to. In response to this on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> May we are doing a whole school resetting exercise so that all student from next week will be in the right groups for their ability, therefore enabling work to be better tailored to stretch as well as support. For year 9 and 10 this is particularly important in the run up to GCSEs.

There will be some further movements to settings in September as I am pleased to say that we are fully staffed so are able to increase the number of classes in each year group by one, this will again allow us to further target the support we can give students.

I know this will mean change for our students but it is being done with the best intentions at heart so I hope you will support us in this decision, Any issues though please feel free to contact me on 01902 368221 or using my email [Sarah.Murcott@E-ACT.org.uk](mailto:Sarah.Murcott@E-ACT.org.uk) and I will be more than happy to discuss.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours Sincerely

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