

## Year 6-7 transition 2020: overview of resources and suggested activities for Ealing schools

Communication	
School to school	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early data transfer sheets sent to schools and on EGfL</li> <li>• Simple data on performance to be provided in absence of SATS (collected centrally and to be with high schools in early July)</li> <li>• Additional information on SEND and vulnerable children; SENCo / DSL/ teacher meetings between primary and secondary can take place online – this may be a way forward for the future.</li> <li>• Summary of key gaps in learning from lockdown period/ sample home learning</li> <li>• High school letter to primary feeder schools to outline the programme they have in place (copy of letter sent to parents)</li> <li>• Online meeting with group of Y6 pupils if in school – pre-agreed questions – Head of Y7/tutor</li> <li>• Agree how to share completed Y6 transition work with high schools</li> </ul>
School to parent	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Letter from high school to parents to outline the programme including differences for this year – updated at end of term and for September</li> <li>• Online presentation to parents – may be best to hold as a webinar with questions through chat function with answers distributed as FAQs after the meeting. Can be available online</li> <li>• Website area for prospective Year 7 parents and pupils – open / login – keep updated in response to questions</li> <li>• One to one meeting – on line or by phone with specific parents</li> <li>• Text service for parents to receive information. Email, text for queries</li> <li>• Address specific issues e.g. access to uniform</li> </ul>
School to child	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome pack from the school – by post / online</li> <li>• Prospective Year 7 website area</li> <li>• Video welcome from Head of Year 7 and key staff e.g. SENCo</li> <li>• Method for children to submit questions to the school</li> <li>• Add FAQs to website area</li> <li>• Letter / postcard to / from child / new tutor</li> <li>• Primary school to complete transition activities in the summer term</li> <li>• Year 7 induction programme – Autumn term</li> </ul>
Child to child	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Video message, letters, postcards from current Year pupils</li> <li>• Buddy system for the beginning of term</li> </ul>
Primary schools	
Y6-7 transition activities in primary schools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Curriculum activities – getting ready for Year 7 – to be ready for mid-June 2020 produced by Ealing high school subject network leads</li> <li>• PSHE resources being developed by primary schools and the Health Improvement Team</li> <li>• Be Awesome, Go Big resources see below including Getting Ready to Go Big menu of challenges – many can be completed at home.</li> </ul>
Saying good-bye	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Think of creative ways to say good-bye in school and to include any not back at school</li> </ul>

### Ealing Y6-7 Transition guide and resources

<https://www.egfl.org.uk/elp-services/transition-high-schools>

### Be Awesome, Go Big – free resources for teachers, pupils and parents

<https://www.hachetteschools.co.uk/landing-page/hachette-schools/be-awesome-go-big-in-association-with-pixl/>

**Education Roundtables** <https://multimedia.getresponse.com/getresponse-wXV64/documents/019cbdfb-6e16-4d08-861e-30bfa12b43dc.pdf>