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Dear Parent/Carer,

We hope that you have all been enjoying the spring sun in recent days and were able to spend some time with your loved ones over the Easter break.

Your son has now entered his last term at primary school, and we know that as time ticks on, you will likely both have some nerves or questions, at least. Hopefully, we will be able to reassure you and answer any concerns in our ongoing communications.

Following on from our initial letter which welcomed you and your son to King Edward VI King's Norton School for Boys, we now need to begin setting your son up on our information systems in readiness for September. You should have received email communication last week regarding log in details for Arbor, the online platform that will store all your son's key information. If you have not yet received this, please check your 'Junk' as it may be in there, and failing that, please let us know via enquiry@knbs.co.uk. For parents that require additional support in completing this, help is available, so please contact us via our enquiry line to request this. As soon as you have completed all this information, we can really begin to start get everything ready for your son to start in September.

In addition to this, we will be visiting primary schools to gather information from class teachers and making sure that every boy that is joining us will have met at least one key staff member before the Transition Day on 1st July. Other visits will take place too, for example for students with SEND or other significant needs, and there will be considerable work taking place behind the scenes to ensure that all our new students have the best possible chance of a successful transition to secondary school.

We have had a huge number of requests for Summer School places which is a key part of our transition offer for every student. If you have not already done so, please remember to sign your son up for the sessions which will take place in the last week of the summer break. There are details of this in our previous communication which you can also find here: [Year 6 Transition Zone | King Edward VI King's Norton School for Boys](#). You will receive confirmation of your son's place at Summer School towards the

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end of term, as well as important details and information. If you have any questions or concerns in the meantime, please get in touch.

There will be lots more communication from us in the coming weeks but please remember that you can find out more about preparing for September on many areas of our website: www.knbs.co.uk. In the meantime, if you have any questions about transition, please do not hesitate to get in touch via enquiry@knbs.co.uk.

Yours faithfully,

Vanessa Bartlett

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