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Dear students.

My name is Miss Burton and I am very excited to have you as a member of my form group in September. I cannot wait to meet you all.

Let me introduce myself, I'm an English teacher at Ormiston Forge Academy and I have been teaching at the school for four years. My connection to this school goes further than the last four years though; I attended the school as a student back when it was Heathfields. I was actually in year 13 when Heathfields became

the Academy it is today. That means I've been through the journey you're all about to start. I'm sure you will love your time at the Academy as much as I do! Not only will we have gone to the same secondary school, but I might have also gone to the same primary school as some of you as I went to Temple Meadow.

When I'm not at school there are lots of things I enjoy doing in my free time. These include reading, trips to the theatre, exploring new cities and enjoying meals out. I absolutely love Italian food. I have also been lucky enough to visit both Rome and Venice. Both were incredible and I would love to go back. I particularly enjoyed travelling through the canals of Venice on a gondola, it was so peaceful. Obviously, at the moment, I cannot enjoy some of these things although I have been reading loads. I could make a fort out of the books I have. I hope you've been finding fun ways to spend your time. I cannot wait to find out more about you and your interests!

Before I sign off I'll tell you a little bit more about my job as your progress tutor. As your progress tutor, I will look out for you and ensure that you settle well into life at secondary school. If you have any worries or concerns I will be able to help with those too. I want to reassure you that we are in this together and we will make sure your transition into secondary school is a great experience. I look forward to meeting you all soon.

Best wishes. Miss Burton

