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Dear Parent/Carer

Planning Permission for New Building

I am pleased to inform you that we have secured permission for our new building, three temporary classrooms and 42 extra parking spaces. This has taken two years to achieve and will provide much needed facilities for local children who would otherwise be without a school place.

The academy has worked closely with Kent County Council and the local grammar schools particularly in relation to concerns raised by local residents. You will know that we altered our school day, installed a new bus lane and a woodland footpath to relieve congestion and make the local streets safer for all concerned.


We are committed to providing a first class education and environment for our students. Internal works this summer will include the installation of another state-of-the-art science laboratory and a refurbishment of the stairways and corridors in the Jubilee block.

We regard ourselves as an integral part of the Wilmington and Dartford community. The vast majority of our students live in the local area and we respect the rights of residents to enjoy living in this lovely area. It is for this reason that we have inserted a paragraph into our Home School Agreement (attached) about parents/carers, staff and students behaving as good neighbours.

I will keep you informed regarding the new build process as things unfold.

It has been another very successful year, which is due in no small measure to your support. I wish you all a relaxing summer break and look forward to welcoming your sons and daughters back in September.

Yours faithfully



Tracey Trusler
Principal