



*Collaborating for Success*

11<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Dear Parents,

Transfer of Pupils to Middle/Primary School September 2019

We hope you have had a good start to the new term and I am sure the children will be telling you lots about their learning.

Along with this letter you will have received the transition pack from the Local Authority. As yet we have not had a final decision from the Regional School Commissioner regarding Norton becoming a Primary School. Therefore, all first schools in the Trust are offering the following advice to parents:

We recommend:

1. That you explore the available schools in case we are not an option.
  2. Delay making your application until later in the term by which time we hope a decision has been made.
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3. Apply for a middle school place and then if staying at Norton Juxta Kempsey becomes an option you would then be able to go online and change your application before 15<sup>th</sup> January 2019.

I would like to assure you that they do not allocate any middle school places until after the closing date in January so there is no immediate rush to make an application. It is unfortunate that we are still awaiting a decision but I can assure you as soon as I have any further information I will let you know.

Kind Regards

Mrs Dean  
Head Teacher